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## TELEGRAMS.

### ULSTER AFFAIRS.

### WELCOME TO THE LEADER.

(Reuter's Service To "The Telegraph.")

London. Received July 11. There was a general holiday in Belfast on the arrival of Sir Edward Carson, who was given an overwhelming welcome by enormous crowds.

An armed escort accompanied Sir Edward to the meeting of the Ulster Unionist Council.

Meeting Private.

The meeting of the Unionist Council was private. The Duke of Abercorn, Lord Londonderry and the Ulster Unionist M.P.'s were given ovations on arriving. Volunteers guarded Ulster Hall, where the meeting was held.

### GERMAN WAR LEVY.

London. Received July 11. Reuter's Berlin correspondent states that the War Levy amounts to 1,005 million marks, but this is below many optimistic estimates.

## HOME NEWS.

### INTERESTING SUMMARY FROM LONDON AND THE PROVINCES.

#### The Militants.

The activity of the militants still continues. As stated in the Telegraph's wire of that date, on the night of June 14 a bomb, placed by these ladies, exploded in St. George's Church, Hanover Square, causing great alarm throughout the neighbourhood. Three pews were damaged and the glass in the three east windows was displaced. Suffragist literature was found in the church. The principal east window, which is of sixteenth century workmanship, was taken to England from Mechlin by Lord Ely in 1841.

Public indignation against the suffragists is steadily growing, and women have repeatedly to depend on the police for protection. On June 15 at the close of evening service at Westminster Abbey two women made one of their "protests"; as they left the building a number of people hustled them and threatened to throw them in the river. The women eventually escaped on to an omnibus.

Floods in the Southern Suburbs. A terrific storm broke over London on the afternoon of June 14. Six persons (four of them children) were killed by lightning on Wandsworth Common, while several others in various parts of London were severely injured. At Lewisham a church was considerably damaged.

The rain, which is described as "tropical," flooded the streets, and in some cases the houses, throughout the storm area. Brixton, Croydon, Wimbledon, Wandsworth and Kingston were under water for some hours.

The Duke of Norfolk and Home Rule.

A very rowdy meeting took place at Leeds on June 12. The occasion was an anti-Home Rule meeting, at which the Duke of Norfolk and Sir Mark Sykes, as Catholic Unionists, were to speak in favour of the Ulsterites. A compact body of Home Rulers made their way to Woodhouse Moor where the meeting was to be held, and, for a time, the speeches were drowned by the uproar. There was some amount of hustling and horse-

## TELEGRAMS.

### MEXICAN AFFAIRS.

#### REBELS' BIG HAUL.

(Reuter's Service To "The Telegraph.")

London. Received July 11. The Mexican rebels captured 5,000 prisoners at Guadajara, as well as quantities of arms, ammunition and supplies.

General Villa affirms that he will only parley with President Huerta on the battlefield.

## HOME CRICKET.

London. Received July 11. Lancashire beat Leicestershire at Liverpool by eight wickets. (Last year Lancashire won by 292 runs.)

Hampshire beat Gloucestershire at Bristol by an innings and 65 runs. (Last year Gloucestershire won by 29 runs.)

Kent beat Somerset at Gravesend by nine wickets. (Last year Kent won by 354 runs.)

play, but this subsided on the police drawing their truncheons.

The Duke of Norfolk said that this gigantic demonstration was determined to impress on the country the fact that Leeds was going to take a foremost place in the great uprising of the people against a record of wrong hardly paralleled in our country.

Unhappily the religious question had come prominently to the front. He himself was a Catholic, and, however unworthy, he yielded to no one in love and reverence for his religion, or in the glory of belonging to the old faith of England. Whatever happened, they recognised that the people of Ulster were loyal supporters of the Empire, determined not to be placed under the control of those who had repeatedly announced their determination to separate Ireland from the Empire on the lines Shrewsbury-Durham.

Unlicensed Chinese Hawker.

On June 15 a Chinese was sentenced at Highgate Police Court to one month's imprisonment for hawking without a licence. He was found going from shop to shop, selling marble figures and, when taken to the police station, was found to be in possession of an expired licence. The magistrate said that the case would be recommended as one for deportation. There was an amusing scene during the hearing of the case. The interpreter, the prisoner and another Chinese entered into a long discussion in the middle of the evidence, which appeared to cause some merriment among themselves. It turned out that they spoke different dialects and were mutually unintelligible; and finally they shook their heads and gave up the task.

The Tango Criticised.

In his presidential address at the annual conference of the British Association of Teachers of Dancing, Mr. J. D. McNaughton remarked that the tango as they knew it, with all its artistic merits, and as they had seen it with all its audacities and in some cases indecencies, had had its day, and, should it fall altogether into oblivion, it would not be much regretted except by a few devotees.

The original tango might have been voluptuous, and, in its present form might be graceful, but after all, it was not a real ballroom dance. The people who could afford to take up a dance of such intimacy were far removed in every way from the commercial and professional classes,

## TELEGRAMS.

### EMPIRE DAY CUP.

#### THE REVISED SCORES.

(Reuter's Service To "The Telegraph.")

London. Received July 10. The lists of final scores and the prize-winners in the Empire Day rifle shooting cup contest have just been published.

The 16th Infantry, Newcastle (Australia), with a score of 2,032, won the Cup, silver medals, and £100. Other prize-winners are as follows:—

4th King's Royal Rifles (Rawalpindi), 2,740 (bronze medals and £50).

38th Dogras (Malakand), 2,844 (bronze medals and £25).

Royal Marine Artillery (Portsmouth), 2,632 (special prize of £25 for best unit in Great Britain).

The 20th Punjabis (Hongkong) came next with a score of 2,480.

The 10th Hussars (Poole) whose score was 2,373 were granted a special prize of £25 for best mounted unit.

The other scores are as provisionally notified on May 26, and prizes are given to all above 16th place.

from which most of them obtained their pupils; and he was bound to say that, for every individual pupil who learned the dance, there were thousands who refused to give either time or money in order to acquire it.

Tactical Scheme of Army Airmen.

The first tactical scheme organised in conjunction with the concentration camp of military squadrons of the Royal Flying Corps on Salisbury Plain was carried out on June 15. The large fleet of aeroplanes which left the camp from nine o'clock onwards, represented the aircraft of the Red Army sent out from Southampton to reconnoitre the march of the Blue army which was supposed to be south-east from Devizes and was assumed to have halted on the night of June 14/15 with the heads of its columns on the line Shrewsbury-Durham.

Our special correspondent writes:—The trials were extremely interesting, and as the 23-metre Shamrock has been measured under the American

rule there is something to go upon. In all weathers to windward the newer boat is superior, but in very light airs of the wind the older boat is quite as fast. This may be the fault of the single headsail, but apparently the challenge is a trifle sluggish in very light weather. As the average New York wind throughout September is a 9-knot breeze this point will receive every consideration from Shamrock's designer.

There are three to four day spells of "hard blow" of Sandy Hook in most Septembers—and then Shamrock should prove a certain winner—but that is problematical, and the average must be reckoned upon. As there is plenty to spare in her measurement I should not be surprised if, as a result of the trial, Mr. Nicholson draws on his reserves and gives the yacht more sail and reduces the displacement by removing lead from the keel. In doing so, he would derive a double advantage: the increase of sail would heel the yacht quicker and the more she heels the longer her sailing length becomes.

According to a rough calculation of the old Shamrock's rating under the American rule, the new

## TELEGRAMS.

### MOHAMEDANS IN RUSSIA.

#### CENTRALISATION URGED.

(Reuter's Service To "The Telegraph.")

London. Received July 11. Reuter's correspondent at St. Petersburg states that a Mohammedan Congress of over 50 delegates from European and Asiatic Russia regards the centralisation of Mohammedan religions and interests in the Russian Empire as urgently needed.

With reference to the educational problem, the Congress is of opinion that it will be difficult to effect progress among Mohammedans without the education of women.

Durham he volunteered for work in East Africa. He was consecrated Bishop of Eastern Equatorial Africa in 1890. In 1908 he published an account of his mission work under the title of "Eighteen Years in Uganda and East Africa."

When at the end of last year, the controversy following the Kittock Conference was occupying considerable public attention, Bishop Tucke wrote to the Times expressing his desire to identify himself with the action of the Low Church bishops who had admitted Nonconformists to the Communion.

## SHAMROCK TRIALS.

#### Making the Yacht Still Faster.

(The Japan Chronicle of June 23 contains the following:—

Precisely at noon on Saturday June 6, says the Daily Mail, as on the previous Thursday the two Shamrocks got under way at Spithead to continue the trials of the new boat. There was a much better wind blowing than any experienced during the initial spin, and with lower sails the two yachts travelled a good ten-knot gait, close hauled towards the westward. Very quickly the newer vessel demonstrated her superiority.

There was just enough weight in the wind to put some of her shoulder under water, and she went through it "as clean as a smelt." She was always much stiffer than her rival, and she gained on her steadily on a twelve-mile stretch.

The Japan Chronicle of June 23 contains the following:—

According to Peking despatch, the Chinese Government has declined to consider the imposition of an excise duty on cotton manufactures to counterbalance the proposed world revision of the Customs tariff.

The Japan Cotton Spinners' Association has decided to advise the Government as follows:

1. Japan's consent to the revision of the Chinese Customs tariff should be refused and the terms of the Treaty of Commerce initiated upon.

2. The conventional value of cotton yarn and fabrics recognized in the Chinese import schedule should be maintained.

3. If these proposals are not agreeable the Chinese Government should be induced to impose an excise duty on its cotton manufactures higher than the import duty, and to authorize the Customs authorities to collect this impost.

4. If there is any difficulty in imposing the excise duty in Shanghai and other extraterritorial districts, a duty equal to the import duty should be collected by the Customs authorities on goods sent from these districts into Chinese territory.

5. Likin and other domestic taxes are remitted on cotton yarn and fabrics produced by the Chinese chartered companies on exportation abroad or transmission into the interior. This same privilege should be extended to the completion of the aqueduct,

## TELEGRAMS.

### EXCLUDING HINDOOS.

#### CANADA'S DETERMINATION.

(Reuter's Service To "The Telegraph.")

London. Received July 11. The Times correspondent at Toronto states that the Canadian Government refuses to defray the expenses of the Hindus on board the Komagata Maru.

The Canadian law obliges steamship owners bringing in undesirables to deport them at their own expense, and the Government proposes to make an example of the present case in order to prevent similar attempts in the future.

boat must allow her about six minutes over a thirty-mile course. She appeared able to do so comfortably as long as the wind held.

Shamrock IV and the older boat raced on Monday a distance of thirty miles.

The outward journey was to windward, and in that distance the challenger gained ten minutes on the older Shamrock. The new boat went extremely well in the open sea beyond Spithead. On the fifteen miles out she allowed the old Shamrock three minutes under the American time allowance. The trial was therefore eminently satisfactory. When the boats were returning from the Warner Lightship the wind fell light and there was little difference in their relative position.

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7. If the conventional values of goods in the Chinese import schedule are revised, the values registered in the Chinese Customs statistics should be taken as the basis for calculating the duty on cotton yarn and fabrics. (This appears to be only another way of saying that cotton goods shall be excluded from the revision of which the purpose is to make the import duty an effective 5 per cent, below which it has fallen considerably owing to the general increase in the price of all goods.)

8. Cotton yarn should be classified in three grades, under 20's, 21's to 42's and over 42's, with graduated duties.

9. For graduating duties on sheetings and shirtings, 14 lb. should be made the line of demarcation.

10. Ad valorem should be converted into specific duties in respect of cotton goods, as this will operate in favour of Japanese products.

A Great Irrigation Scheme.

We are indebted to the Builder for the following interesting paragraph.—The aqueducts of ancient Rome will shortly be dwarfed into comparative insignificance by the construction of the modern Italian aqueduct of Puglia, designed to irrigate the three arid provinces of Puglia on the Adriatic coast. This important irrigation scheme has now been under construction for fifteen years, and has already cost £6,000,000. It will serve a population of two and a half millions and water the holdings of 84,000 landowners. It involves diverting the water of the River Sele, now flowing into the Tyrrhenian Sea, and carrying it through the main range of the Apennines to the eastern coast. The aqueduct begins at Caposele, 1,300 feet above sea level, and runs for 130 miles, sixty of which are cut through rocks, to Venice, where it branches into three main channels serving Bari, Foggia, and Lecce, respectively, and having a total length of 1,000 miles. One hundred and fifty-two reservoirs have a capacity of 150,000 cubic metres each and the pipes for distribution to the town and villages run to some 500 miles in length. The completion of the tunnel through the Eastern Apennines at Groce di Monello removes the last engineering obstacle to the completion of the aqueduct,

## TELEGRAMS.

### ST. HELENA LACES.

#### LEAGUE OF EMPIRE SALE.

(Reuter's Service To "The Telegraph.")

London. Received July 11. The League of Empire arranged a sale of St. Helena laces and embroideries at Bathurst House. It was numerously attended and it is expected that a goodly sum will be realised.

Mrs. Cordesaux, wife of His Excellency the Governor of St. Helena (Major H. E. Cordesaux) and daughter assisted at the sale.

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## GENERAL NEWS

Change of Chinese Ministers. Lew Yak Lin, the Chinese Minister in London, has received instructions to return to Peking, and Shen Sou Ling, the Chinese Minister in Vienna, will go to take his place.

Dr. Morrison.

We (*London and China Express*) are pleased to learn that there is no truth in the report circulated about a month ago by a financial paper that Dr. Morrieon, Adviser to the President of China, was in ill-health, and was leaving Peking. Dr. Morrison is, fortunately, not in ill-health, but has gone on leave in the usual way, returning to Peking in the autumn. There is equally no truth in the statement that he had sold his house in Peking.

Chinese in London.

In the Bow County Court on the 10th ult. Judge Smyly found for the plaintiff, for the full amount claimed, in a case in which Mrs. Kennedy, a West India Dock Road tailoress, sought to recover £13 odd from Ah Tak, a Chinese boarding-house proprietor in Limehouse Causeway. Mr. Osborn, for the plaintiff, said Ah Tak, who boards Chinese sailors, was in the habit of sending them round to the plaintiff's shop for suits of clothes, which he deducted for. He has an English wife, who manages his affairs, and it was alleged that, after the last £32 was paid, she said they would not be liable any longer, and the sailors could go where they liked for the clothes. Orders stamped Ah Tak were produced; however, by the plaintiff.

To Inspect Locust Damage.

In view of the extended locust invasion, Col. Taylor of the Philippine Constabulary, is making a tour of inspection throughout the worst infested districts, says the *Cable news American*, though no particular line of campaign has been set forth as Col. Taylor wishes to study the conditions at first hand. In this connection he will take the field at an early date, leaving Manila shortly for Tarlac and Pangasinan where he will confer with the local officials. Mr. N. H. Duckworth, of the bureau of agriculture, will accompany him. The bureau of agriculture is in receipt of information to the effect that the commanding officers on all military reservations will make every effort to destroy locusts within their reservations. As there are large swarms of locusts on the reservation at Stoenseberg, the news will be welcomed by the adjacent land owners of that place.

"Wolf" or "Rat"?

Peking, June 29.—Peking newspapers are widely reproducing an article which appeared in a southern Chinese paper in reference to the hunting of White Wolf. It says that the Central Government considers the title "wolf" unduly grand for this chief pest, and that "rat" would be a better title, whilst other news from Peking tells of the subduing of the dragon and taming of the tiger, and that a yang is being formed for beating the swallow.

The paper says that, in order to complete the list, the downfall of the Hsiung Cabinet should be styled "killing the bear." This is apparently a sly reference to Hsiung's supposed leanings towards the Russians. The article, in conclusion, deplores the disturbances of the peace of these creatures of the air and the wilderness, who formerly were China's friends.

Gunpowder in Jute Stack.

Some sensation was caused in Kidderpore on June 3 by the discovery of explosives among the jute stacked in No. 4 silo. An officer of the Port Commissioners was examining bales when he came across some paper; he removed this and then discovered something tube-shaped which contained powder, petrol and sulphur heads of matches. In all six tubes were found in three apertures between the bales, and three on top of the stack. One of the tubes had become partially ignited, but had gone out of its own accord. The particular stack was removed clear of the remainder, and a line of hose was kept ready by the khalsias of the Fire Brigade in case of an outbreak. The explosive substances were sent to the Chemical Examiner. The jute was consigned to Geneva per the sea. Cheybares,

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## BURMAH.

Taxi Abduction in Rangoon. The hearing commenced on June 14, before Mr. A. G. Uooke, District Magistrate, in which Kyaw Zan Hla Ramariang (chauffeur) and Nga Pe Thaw are jointly charged with abducting a Burmese actress of 14th Street, named Kin Nyan, aged 15, from a bullock-cart on her return after a performance at the Sule Pagoda during the early hours of Saturday, the 6th ult.

Mr. S. A. Christopher, Government Prosecutor, appeared on behalf of the Crown, while the first accused was undefended. The second was represented by Mr. L. Paul and the third by Maung Ba Shin.

This case has aroused a great deal of interest in the Burmese community of Rangoon and the Court-room was crowded long before the hearing was commenced. The corridors leading to the Court-room were packed with Burmese women interested in the case. The case was, on the application of the Crown Prosecutor, postponed for hearing till June 24, owing to the sudden death of the brother of Kin Nyan.

The Rangoon Zoo.

At a meeting of the Loan Sub. Committee of the Victoria Memorial Park on June 5, the Hon'ble Mr. B. J. B. Stephen presiding, it was agreed to recommend for the approval of the Trustees at their next meeting that application in the first instance be made to the Rangoon Municipal Committee for carrying into effect the scheme for the extension of the Victoria Memorial Park and Zoo, and to pay the capitalised value of the said income viz. Rs. 50,000 to the Trustees to enable them to carry out important and urgent improvement works in the Zoo and Park which cannot be undertaken from the current revenue of the Park Funds.

The Assam-Burma Railway Project.

With reference to the proposed railway connection between Burma and Assam, says Capital, it is stated that two surveys have been carried out, namely, that via Manipur Road and via the Hukong Valley. The result of the surveys shows that the cost of the lines would be, respectively, 779 and 160 lakhs. It is understood, however, that there is little likelihood of either line earning enough to cover working expenses for some time to come, and it will be hoped, in the circumstances, that nothing further will be heard of the project, until more urgent needs have been satisfied.

Ceylon's New Knight.

The news of the honour of Knighthood conferred on the Hon. Mr. Hector Van Cuylenburg, by His Majesty the King, which was received at Colombo on June 22, spread far and wide, and the number of congratulatory telegrams from all parts of the Island

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"HONGKONG TELEGRAPH."

## The Hongkong Telegraph.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JULY 11, 1914.

## THE TIBETAN PROBLEM.

As was to be expected, the adjustment of affairs in Tibet is proving a matter of extreme difficulty. The latest news, which was outlined in special cables published in the *Telegraph* on Tuesday last, is that the Anglo-Chinese Conference has broken down, and that the British Commissioner is leaving for England. The cause of the failure of the negotiations is to be found in the inability of the parties to agree upon the territories which shall comprise Inner and Outer Tibet. What the upshot will now be, it is hard to see, for not only is there the merely territorial question to be disposed of, in which the Chinese and Tibetans are more directly concerned; but Britain's peculiar position in relation to this former appendage of the Chinese Republic will have to come in for special consideration and definition.

As in the case of Mongolia, so in regard to Tibet has the Chinese Government found it hard to retain the allegiance of a distinctive people who have never taken so kindly to overlordship from Peking. And on the inauguration of the Republic it was not to be wondered at that a very determined attempt should be made to shake free of the attachment. Since that time the problem of winning back both Mongolia and Tibet has much agitated the official mind in Peking, but all indications point to the conclusion that China will have to make up her mind to count these territories as lost to the Republic. This is one of the penalties of the new situation in China itself, which has caused the attempt to maintain Chinese authority to utterly break down. It will be remembered that, in the case of Tibet, British intervention was originally prompted by apprehensions of Russian intrigue, especially in regard to India. An expedition was accordingly despatched in 1908 to Lhasa, and as a result thereof, and of the Anglo-Russian Convention of the following year, the difficulties so far as Britain and Russia were concerned were, happily, disposed of. Subsequently, however, the internal situation in Tibet developed on lines which had not been foreseen, mainly in consequence of the re-establishment of a Chinese suzerainty which previously had become merely nominal. The later happenings are well-known—how Chinese troops were sent to Lhasa; the flight of the Dalai Lama to India; the mutiny of the garrison at Lhasa, accompanied by gross excesses; the retaliation of the Tibetans, which resulted in a state of turmoil in which Chinese authority was destroyed; and the eventual return of the Dalai Lama and his reassertion of practical independence. A new situation was created in consequence of these happenings and towards the close of 1912 the recognition of Chinese suzerainty ceased to be operative. Since that time the problem of the future status of the territory, especially in its relation to Britain, has remained unsolved.

It is apparent that the present unsatisfactory and indefinite position cannot continue and it is equally evident that the conditions are entirely adverse to another restoration of Chinese authority. Tibet has become independent of the new Chinese regime. That fact cannot be brushed aside. As to Britain's position, the Anglo-Russian Convention of 1907 definitely admitted the fact that Great Britain, by reason of her geographical position, has a special interest in the maintenance of the *status quo* in the external relations of Tibet, while certain very definite rights assured to Britain under the Treaty of Lhasa point to the likelihood that British relations with Tibet will, in future, be adjusted so as to assert British influence there, irrespective of the obsolete international theory that it is part of China. That, at any rate, is the opinion of competent observers of current events. It will now be interesting to see how that end will be brought about.

## A Want of Interest.

The writer of the special article in yesterday's issue which urged the need for a ratepayers' association in Hongkong was on good lines so far as the need is concerned. But one may be permitted to doubt whether such a body, if it were formed, would prove half so successful in Hongkong as it does at Home. One has a fear that like other bodies one could name, it would lack vitality. The air of the Far East does not permit of such bodies showing strong growth. Besides, here the average man has no abiding city and never seems to get steeped in the internal working of the Colony as he would in the doing in some Home borough. They make nothing like the same appeal to him. This is unfortunate, but it is true, and it means that, while the idea of a ratepayers' association is excellent, it might be difficult to carry into practice. The actual work, one fears, would be shared by only two or three willing members.

## Roadmaking Bungle.

The P. W. D. is providing another example of "How not to do it" in Kowloon. Just prior to the opening of the new Star Ferry pier a new road was laid to accommodate traffic thereto. This, however, has been found too narrow, and in consequence it has become necessary to widen it by taking in a big slice of the triangular plot of land which it was intended to turf and utilise as a kind of garden. The work is now in progress, but, as the levels of the roadway and the plot are not the same, it becomes necessary to tear up the newly-laid surface of the former. More than that, the carefully-laid cement gully-way which was put down between the two now has to be filled in. This is a typical instance of P. W. D. bungling. The Department never seems to look ahead. Had it done so in this, case much time, labour, and expense, since proved utterly fruitless, would have been saved.

## The Deported Indians.

Consular and other officials in Hongkong who have suffered through the readiness of certain steamship companies to "dump" impious or objectionable passengers in this Colony, will read with interest today's *Register*, which states that the Canadian Government is resolved to enforce the law by leaving it to the charterers of the *Komagata Maru* to take back the undesirable at their expense. It is well that, as a matter of principle and precedent, the Dominion Government should make this stand. Obviously it is the business of ship-owners and ship-charterers, or representatives, to ascertain beforehand whether or not the passengers travelling by their vessel are eligible for admission into the port for which they are bound. There is no hardship here; only common sense and common fairness; and it would be well, if in all other British Colonies, undesirable, whether British or non-British, were kept out by the same simple means. Probably the charterers of the *Komagata Maru* will think twice before they again undertake to carry passengers who, as they might know from the beginning, if they made proper enquiry, are not wanted in the country to which they have booked.

## A Divorce Bill.

The findings of the recent Royal Commission on Divorce, so far as both majority and minority reports agreed, have been incorporated in a bill introduced into Parliament by Lord Gorrell, former president of the Divorce Court. The most radical departure is a provision that the wife shall be on an equality before the divorce court. Under the existing law, a wife must prove both misconduct and cruelty on the part of her husband whilst the husband needs only to prove misconduct in order to get a divorce. The new clause provides that any married person may dissolve marriage upon proving that the other party thereto has committed adultery. The bill also provides that a judicial separation may be granted on the ground of habitual drunkenness, which includes intemperance by drugs.

## DAY BY DAY.

TIS MORE TO BE GOOD THAN BE GREAT,  
TO BE HAPPY IS BETTER THAN WISE,  
YOU'LL FIND IF YOU SMILE AT THE WORLD,  
THE WORLD WILL SMILE BACK IN YOUR EYES.

The Weather.  
Lower level 8 a.m. Temp 83;  
clear.

At the Peak 8 a.m. Temp 75;  
fog.

The Mails.

Siberian Mail—Due per s.s.

Feiching to-day.

Siberian Mail—Closed per s.s.

Nile to-day at 10 a.m.

Australian Mail—Closed per s.s.

Eastern to-day at 10 a.m.

Australian Mail—Closed per s.s.

Peru to-day at 11 a.m.

Australian Mail—Closes per s.s.

Prinz Sigismund to-day at 4 p.m.

## Count the Columns.

Yesterday the *Telegraph* published 32 columns of solid reading matter. To-day there will be 40 published.

## Land Sale.

Rural Building Lot No. 138, The Peak, about 18,000 square feet in extent, is to be sold at the P. W. D. Offices on the 27th inst. The upset price is \$2,180.

## Auditor.

The name of Mr. John Halifax Lind, of Yokohama, has been added to the list of persons qualified to perform the duties of auditor under the Hongkong Companies Ordinances.

## Message from Peru.

Writing from Cerro de Pasco, Peru, at an altitude of 12,200 feet, our former member, Mr. S. G. Bolden, sends kind regards to all Y. M. C. A. fellows. To reach Cerro he crossed the Andes at a height of 15,000 feet!—*Progress*.

## Late Mr. S. Bellinger.

The news has reached us that our devoted friend (Mr. S. Bellinger) has passed away to the higher service. While in the O. P. R. office here he was a member of the Mess. Both in money gifts and personal effort he was ever foremost and dependable. Though quiet by disposition he could say the word which fitted the occasion. Our sympathy goes to his bereaved relatives.—*Progress*.

## A Stickler for Etiquette.

A complaint that a Chinese constable was eating too fast, at a meal at No. 7 Police Station, drew from the officer a rebuke which enraged the first man. The constable was assaulted and his head damaged to such an extent as made a visit to the Government Civil Hospital necessary. The man who was strong on etiquette was fined \$10 for assault, at the Police Court, this morning.

## Ordinance Approved.

His Majesty the King has not been advised to exercise his power of disallowance with respect to the following Ordinances:—An Ordinance to amend the Pharmacy Ordinance, 1908, and Ordinance No. 9 of 1910 as incorporated in the Pharmacy Ordinance, 1908. An Ordinance to provide against the circulation in the Colony of seditious publications. An Ordinance, to amend the Electricity Supply Ordinance, 1911.

## LANGKAT OUTPUT.

Daily Averages for June and July.

The Langkat output for June was 8,663 tons and the average daily output was 288.76 tons.

Messrs. Wright and Hornby advise us that the output for July is—

1st July...	203 tons
2nd "	204 "
3rd "	249 "
4th "	220 "
5th "	219 "
6th "	228 "
7th "	258 "
8th "	244 "
9th "	218 "
10th "	28 "

Total to date 2,371.  
Daily average 237.1 tons.

## REGISTRATION OF SERVANTS.

Some Further Details of the Ceylon Scheme.

## [SPECIAL ARTICLE.]

## 1889.

## HONGKONG TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO.

(Compiled from the "Hongkong Telegraph" files for the week ending July 11, 1889.)

## WEST RIVER FLOODS.

Relief Fund Totals Over \$85,000.

The Tung Wa Hospital begs to acknowledge with thanks the following donations to the Blood Relief Fund.

Already acknowledged

\$81,607.07

Wing Fa Lau 500.00

Mr. Leung Chak Chun 500.00

Messrs. Tai Woo Cheong 100.00

Mr. Lo Chuk Hin 100.00

Mr. Lam Ting Man 100.00

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Messrs. Yu Shing Lung 100.00

Messrs. Kwong Tai Yuen 100.00

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The Staff & Students of Queen's College 55.60

Compradores, Pacifico 50.00

Mail S. S. Co. 50.00

Messrs. Wa Ying Cheong 50.00

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Wing Tseung Kat 20.00

Sam Pick Chan 20.00

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## RAILWAY FLOODED.

## PLIGHT OF HONGKONG PASSENGERS.

Return to Kowloon After Ten Hours Wasted.

So badly flooded is one portion of the Chinese section of the Canton-Kowloon Railway that through traffic was stopped yesterday, and the afternoon express train had to return to Kowloon after having got within a few miles of its destination.

The train left Kowloon at 3 o'clock with a big number of Chinese and some half a dozen European passengers. All went well until some five or six miles beyond Tong Mei Station—about 16 miles from Canton—it was found that the permanent way was completely under water, and the train could proceed no further. The line was under the water for about a mile and a half, and it is estimated that at one spot yesterday evening the depth of water must have been about 20 feet. When the train came to a standstill some of the Chinese prepared to wade through the floods to catch the connecting train which could be seen on the other side of the flooded portion of the line, but they were prevented from doing so by the railway officials. Earlier in the day, we understand, when the flooding was not so serious, several passengers from Canton were able in this way to get through.

It was about 8.45 p.m. when the train reached the flooded section, and here it remained for some two hours, much to the annoyance of the passengers. Eventually it was decided to return to Kowloon, which was reached about 1.30 o'clock this morning. A special ferry steamer was alongside the pier to convey passengers across the harbour. It would be interesting to know whether the railway authorities here knew that the line was so badly under the water, and, if so, why they despatched the express under the circumstances, thus causing great inconvenience and waste of time to the passengers.

There will be no through trains to or from Canton to-day, but it is hoped that the service will be resumed to-morrow.

## GOVERNMENT APPOINTMENTS.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. Christopher Wilson to be Lieutenant and Mr. L. N. Murphy to be Second Lieutenant in the Hongkong Volunteer Corps, with effect from this date.—7th July, 1914.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. Edward Jones and Mr. Robert Olyphant Hutchison to perform the duties of Assistant Harbour Master during the absence on leave of Basil Reginald Hamilton Taylor, Commander, R. N., or until further notice.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Dr. George Ernest Aubrey, M.R.C.S. (Eng.), L.R.C.P. (Lond.), M.B. (Lond.), B.S. (Lond.), to be Honorary Visiting Physician and Dr. Charles Forsyth, M.B. (Edin.), B.S. (Edin.), F.R.C.S. (Edin.), to be Honorary Obstetric Physician to the Government Civil Hospital, with effect from this date.—10th July, 1914.

## DEATH TO COCKROACHES.

There is at present on the market a preparation put up by Messrs. Howarth and Fair which is death to cockroaches. It is known as "Blattis," the Union Cockroach Paste, and is simple to use and sure in its effects. It is spread on pieces of brown paper, and after beating it the cockroaches retire to their holes and there die. It has been found wonderfully effective in Hongkong, and should be welcomed by housewives. The paste can be obtained in small tins from the Victoria Dispensary.

## SPECIAL CABLES.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

## SHANGHAI MURDER TRIAL.

## CASE FOR THE PROSECUTION.

Former Policeman Implicated.

Peking. Received July 11.

The three Chinese charged at the Mixed Court with the murder of Mrs. Neumann on January 23 are a former policeman, a notorious robber, and a former Yangtze coolie.

The case for the prosecution is that the coolie and the policeman knew the ropes and called in two robbers, one of whom has since been executed, for another crime, and then murdered Mrs. Neumann while her husband was in hospital and the servants were out.

The police have also arrested the dead robber's concubine, who gave valuable information, but when confronted by the prisoners she refused to repeat her allegations, pleading that if she did her whole family would be exterminated.

The finger-prints of the ex-policeman correspond with those on the safe which contained the jewellery. The jewellery has not been recovered, although there is evidence that some of it has been recovered by an up-country official.

It would be quite easy for the coolie and the ex-policeman to know of the Neumanns' wealth, as Mrs. Neumann was often seen in the shop with her hands covered with jewels.

(Special Pacific Service to the "Telegraph"—Reuters.)

## CHINESE TAXES.

## PROTESTS REACHING THE LEGATIONS.

Peking. Received July 10.

Strong protests are reaching the Legations regarding the increases in the tiffin and other taxes. It appears that the trouble began in Anhui in April, and has since spread to Chekiang and Kiangsu; it is feared that other provinces will follow suit.

## EVASION OF TREATY.

The Legations argue that the Chinese are evading the Tientsin Treaty of 1868 by imposing a consumption tax on the consignee.

## EDUCATION IN CHINA.

## A BIG SCHEME CONTEMPLATED.

Peking. Received July 10.

A provisional order promulgates regulations for the formation and foundation of a fund for the encouragement of education in China, commencing in the sixth year of the Republic and extending to the forty-fifth year.

The Government will create a fund of twelve million dollars at the rate of \$300,000 annually, which will be included in the Budget.

The fund will be deposited at the National Bank of China and controlled by the Minister of Education.

Twelve hundred scholars will receive benefits from the fund to the extent of \$400 annually, but only one-fourth of the fixed number of privileged scholars will be elected each year.

## THE MURDER OF MRS. NEUMANN.

Shanghai. Received July 10.

Three Chinese were brought up at the Mixed Court to-day, charged with the murder of Mrs. Neumann on January 23. The arrests were made on information furnished by a former concubine of the leader of a large robber band at Yangtze.

## WEST RIVER FLOODS.

(Continued from page 4.)

Mr. Kan Pun Shi	10.00	Kwong On	10.00
Mr. Kan Po Chi	10.00	Sz Woo Lung	10.00
Mr. Kan Cheong Tong	10.00	Yuet Hing Lung	10.00
Leung Fuk Woo Tong	10.00	King Hoi Tuong	10.00
Mr. Fok Wing	10.00	Li Leung Shi	10.00
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Messrs. Tseng Tai	10.00	Ching Ching Shi	10.00
Mr. Kwok Tak Shing	10.00	Messrs. Yu Woo	10.00
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Li Kwing Tong	10.00	Tung Lee	10.00
Messrs. Kwong Teui Yuen	10.00	Wing Yiu Lung	10.00
Tak Cheong	10.00	Sun Kwong Lung	10.00
The Students of Wai	10.00	Tung Shang Lung	10.00
Yat Night School	10.00	King Nam Hing	10.00
Messrs. Hoi Lee	10.00	Mr. Woung Shu Sam	10.00
Teung Yee	10.00	Messrs. Man Cheong	10.00
Shun Tai	10.00	Mr. Fung Yau Fa	10.00
Tung Yu Lung	10.00	Messrs. Tai Shing	10.00
Wa Hing Lung	10.00	Messrs. Kung Yick Wing	10.00
Yee Shang Lee	10.00	Chi Tseng	10.00
Hang Cheong Tai	10.00	Hong Chun Yuen	10.00
Mr. Li Siug Hoi	10.00	Tung Yuen	10.00
Messrs. Shu Lung	10.00	Fuk Woo Tai	10.00
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		Lo Shun Lung	10.00
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		King Hoi Kai	10.00

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## WATER RETURN.

Returned to Find the Lady Gone.

Level and Storage of water in Reservoirs on the 1st July, 1914.

CITY AND HILL DISTRICT WATER WORKS LEVEL.

	1913	1914
Tytam	10 ft. 10 in. below overflow	10 ft. 10 in. below overflow
Bryewalk	10 ft. 10 in. below overflow	10 ft. 10 in. below overflow
Tytam Intermediate	7 ft. 8 in. below overflow	7 ft. 8 in. below overflow
Pokfulam	10 ft. 10 in. above overflow	10 ft. 10 in. below overflow
Wong-nai-chung	10 ft. 10 in. below overflow	10 ft. 10 in. below overflow

STORAGE IN MILLIONS AND DECIMALS.

GALLONS.

Total 510.00

Consumption of water in the City and Hill Districts in millions of gallons during the month of June, 1914.

1913 1914

Consumption 129.52 129.53

Population per head per day 214,210 215,112

Consumption per head per day 575.719 577.719

Rider main districts also in 1914 but only up to the 5th of June and Rider Mains supply from 5th to 10th of June.

KOWLOON WATER WORKS LEVEL.

1913 1914

Kowloon Gravitation Reservoir 317.75 323.54

Consumption of water in Kowloon in millions of gallons during the month of June, 1914.

1913 1914

Consumption 31.47 30.81

Population per head per day 93,910 94,790

Consumption per head per day 342.74 346.70

The Government Analyst's reports show that the water is of excellent quality.

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## TODAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.  
CONSULAT DE FRANCE.  
HONGKONG.

Tuesday next, 14th. of July, being the French National Festival the acting Consul General for France will be pleased to welcome at his offices Prince's Building between 10.30 and 12.30 the members of the French community, his foreign colleagues, British officials and officers, as well as all other friends who may wish to call on that occasion.

Hongkong, 11th July, 1914.

## Latest Advertisement.

The French Consul will be At Home on the 14th. inst.—Page 5.

## Struck Off.

It is notified that the name of the Rosenthal Publishing Company, Limited, has been struck off the Hongkong Register.

## June Weather.

Observatory returns show that during June the average mean temperature in Hongkong was 82, the highest point reached being 89.9, on the 30th., and the lowest 75.1, on the 1st. There were 174.4 hours of sunshine and 12,225 inches of rain on seventeen days. The rainfall at the Botanical Gardens was 12.66 inches on 18 days, at the Matilda Hospital, Mount Kellet, it was 13.15 inches on 8 days, and at the Police Station, Tai Po, it was 13.32 inches on 16 days.

## Prevention of Disease.

Garrison orders state:—Officers Commanding units will republish in their orders the warning against eating uncooked vegetables or salads, and will also call attention to the danger of sleeping without a mosquito net.

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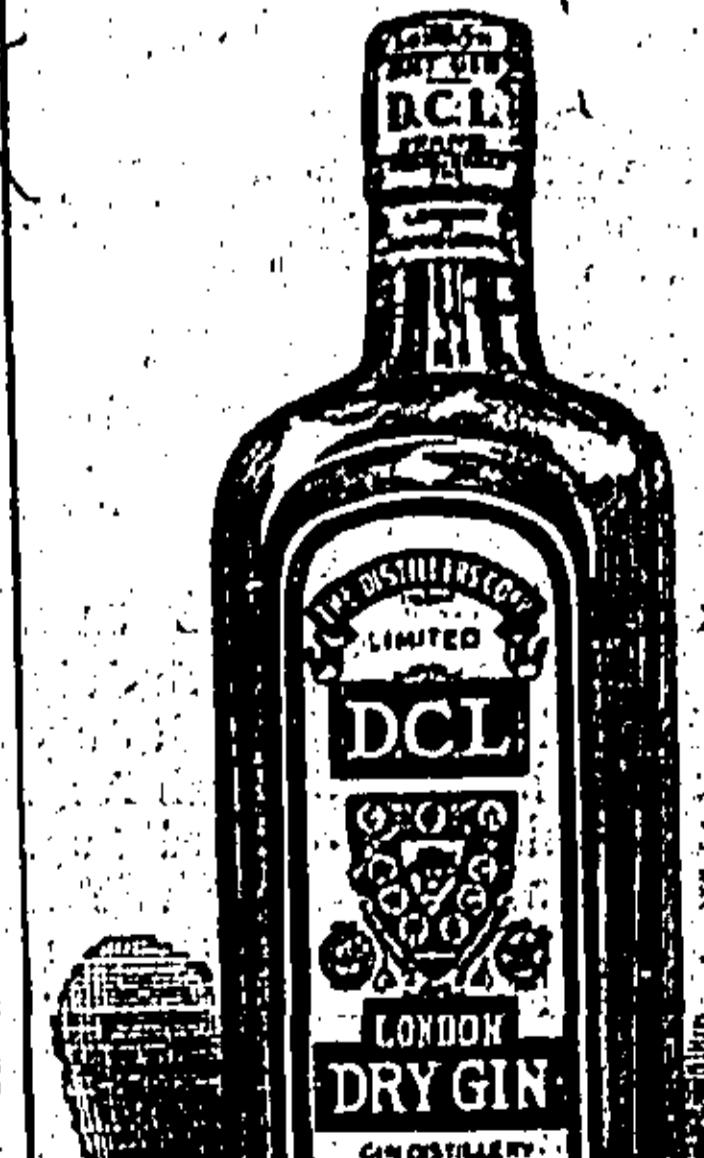
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The P. M. ss. SIBERIA will leave Hongkong on Sunday Aug. 2nd at 1 p.m. instead of Tuesday August 4.

The P. M. ss. KOREA, carrying the United States mail, left Yokohama for Hongkong, via Japan Ports, on July 8, and is expected to arrive at Hongkong on July 14.

The I. G. M. ss. COBLENZ which left here on the 13th ult. arrived at Sydney on the 9th inst. at 10 a.m.

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The S. L. ss. DEN OF AIRLIE left London on the 20th ult. and is due at Hongkong on the 8th August.

The S. L. ss. DEN OF RUTHVEN from the Pacific Coast is due here on the 15th July.

The I. L. ss. INVEROLYDE from New York passed the Canal on the 23rd June, and is due at Hongkong on the 19th July.

The ss. PRINZ WALDEMAR left Sydney on the 2nd inst. at 3 p.m. and may be expected here on or about the 25th July.

The ss. INDRADEO passed the Suez Canal on the 7th inst. for Hongkong direct.

The French ss. PHUYEN left Saigon yesterday for this port, and is due to arrive here on or about the 13th instant.

## TIDE TABLE.

6th July, to 12th July, 1914.

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# THE HONG KONG TELEGRAPH.

## EXTRA

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JULY 11, 1914,

### SHORT STORY.

#### THE MOTHER OF HIS CHILDREN.

BY CONIGSBY DAWSON.

[Here is the story of a man who aches for his wife's love and is determined to do something big in order to win it. There are magazines which are famous for having stories essentially their own. *MacLure's* is one of these magazines, and this is one of these stories. It is not according to type at all.]

The great plate-glass panes, reaching almost to the pavement, revealed empty counters, gleam sales, and lowered lights. They were a part of the pretence that every one was above temptation. They seemed to say to the world, pinched with cold: "See how we trust you. We know you're honest. You can peep in, if you like; tomorrow, if you've anything to give us, you can walk inside."

A policeman, passing by, peered at Dick suspiciously, recognized him, and bade him a cheerful "good night."

The straggling timber houses of Main Street cowered beneath the weight of starflecked sky. Many of the stores had put up their shutters. The sudden drop in temperature had driven people indoors. Electric lamps looked down on a town that seemed deserted. Dick thrust his hands in his coat pockets and crouched his head between his shoulders. *So the price was sure to rise.*

Coming to his gate, he hesitated. Mary's shadow fell across the blind. He wanted to think; her grey eyes would disturb him.

He found himself on the outskirts of the town, where woods commenced—an army of skeletons, flapping rags. Far behind him, like glow-worms scattered through shadows, the lights of Monmouth twinkled.

If his love were to survive, he must have money. If he could pour into her lap money won by his own brains, he would startle Mary out of taking him for granted into admiration. Everything had to be purchased.

The woods rustled. It was as if dead things were returning to life. Slowly he turned back. He didn't need to decide now; presently would be soon enough. This time, when he came to his gate, he entered.

But presently came next morning, when he received orders to get ready to go to New York. Getting ready entailed several journeys to the bank's vaults and safes to check up bonds and securities, and to consult necessary papers. Being the president's right-hand man and absolutely trusted, he made these journeys unaccompanied.

That night Madge noticed that her father was nervous. She sat at the table, with her books spread out before her, preparing her school lessons; he was seated at his desk, with his back toward her. She watched him as he stared at a sheet of paper, altered a figure, did nothing for a while, then tore the sheet into the tiniest of pieces and threw them into the waste-paper basket, and began all over again.

She stole over to him and perched herself on the arm of his chair, letting her soft hair fall against his face. She observed that he immediately covered up what he was doing.

"Worried, father?"

He stroked her hand. "Not

worried, darling. Just tired." Then she thought she had guessed. "You don't like going alone, do you? You hoped that mother would go with you. You're disappointed."

She recognized in a flash that her guess was mistaken. He rubbed his cheek against her and answered evasively:

"Disappointed! Oh, I don't know. There's so much to do for you children; I suppose she's right."

Madge slipped back to her lessons. Tears were in her eyes. He was in trouble, and he wouldn't let her share it. Directly he thought that her attention was occupied, he recommenced his figuring.

The next week he was in New York. His first errand, after his arrival, was to a firm of Wall Street brokers; it had nothing to do with the business for the bank. After that he watched the tickers feverishly, like a man whose entire happiness depended on what prices the mechanism would stamp on the tape. He found himself jumping off trolleys and breaking appointments inconsequently, merely for the sake of rushing into hotels and passing the slip of paper through his trembling fingers. It was always when Electrical Supplies were quoted that he grew excited. They were on the rise.

He sold out a portion of his holdings, merely for the sake of bringing home to himself the unbelievable fact that he had made money. He bought again, on margins at a higher price. To avoid the risk of Monmouth getting to know, he opened an account with a New York bank.

It was his last day; he was leaving in two hours, on the six o'clock limited. Within a week he had made more than twice his year's salary; if Electrical Supplies continued to soar, he'd be rich before the New Year, when they went through the bonds and clipped the coupons. He'd have time to replace what he'd borrowed—nothing need be discovered. Already he felt safe.

It was the hour of the Fifth Avenue parade. Above the skyscrapers, through the indigo unplanned quiet, stars fluttered like white butterflies over tall stone hollyhocks. Wealth tripped by him on the pavement—selfish, happy, lavishly gowned, perfumed, and indifferent to poverty. Along the roadway steamed limousines containing women of all nations, wrapped in costly furs, turning to the world aniced and piquant faces.

Once there had been a time when he would have been envious of these people. Once was a week ago precisely. He did not feel any envy now—only a humorous desire to bait one of them and say: "I'm not much to look at; but my Madge and Mary'll be exactly what you are some day."

And then he wanted to prove the assertion—to begin proving it without delay. Christmas was coming; it wasn't too soon to buy presents. He glanced round. Tiffany's beckoned to him. In a spirit of bravado, he entered.

He had had no idea that trifles could be so expensive. He

had into so much expense. Five hundred dollars for a pearl necklace! And it looked nothing—like a string of beads from the Monmouth Five and Ten Cent Store! Madge must have one better than that. He pictured to himself how, years later, she would tell her children. "When father became a big man, this was what he bought me." He was intoxicated by his imagination. The pearl necklace for Madge cost eight hundred dollars; the watch-bracelet, studded with diamonds, which he chose for Mary, a thousand. His wife would have to admire him at last.

Did he want them sent, the salesman asked. With childlike greed for immediate possession, he inquired, "Could I take them with me?" It was incredible: eighteen hundred dollars' worth of jewellery was being wrapped up and would soon be in his pocket.

It came to paying—he had only his cheque-book. The salesman saw him hesitate. "A cheque will do," he assured him.

Dick made no attempt to disguise his amazement. "But—surely you'll require a reference. My cheque mightn't be good."

The man smiled. "We take that risk. We're supposed to be judges of character. We're here for that—to size people up by their faces and know whether they're honest."

A crawling shiver wandered down Dick's back. He wrote his signature hastily. He tried not to meet the salesman's eye. Did dishonesty stick out all over a man like that?

On his return home, he locked the necklace and bracelet securely away in the top drawer of his desk. When he heard Mary warning the children against expecting too much for Christmas because Madge's education would be a heavy expense, he had to smile. He grew into a habit of touching the drawer in which his gifts lay hidden. His wife noticed, and asked him, "What have you in there?" He laughed in a high voice, excitedly, and drew away his hand. "Oh, nothing—nothing."

When the house was silent and every one had gone to bed, he would take out his treasures and look at them, staging in his mind what was likely to occur when he gave them on Christmas Day. One night, when he had stayed later than usual, Mary came down to discover why he hadn't followed her. She caught the sparkle of something which he slipped behind his back the moment she entered.

"Why Dick!" There was fear in her voice.

He turned sideways from her and thrust his hand into his pocket; then he put his free arm about her waist. "Mary, I'm changing everything for all of us. You'll know in good time."

His way of speaking was ecstatic—like that of a happy boy. She drew her fingers wonderingly across his face. "Change everything! Do we want change? And can you?" She paused; there was a sob in her throat. "Dick, what is it? You've been different since my birthday; more—more masterful lately."

"More masterful!" He laughed and claimed her mouth.

Mr. Yeams by surprise. "Do with you!" He scratched his head. "Do with you! God ble's my soul, if you can't redeem those bonds, I'll have to have you arrested!"

"Well, I can't. For years I've run your bank and received three thousand dollars a year for it. One can't save much out of that and raise a family."

Mr. Yeams looked very sad, very grieved, very perplexed. Perhaps he was worried by a passage he remembered from sermons, such as "Blessed are the merciful," etc. What he said was:

"I trusted you with everything. For myself, I'd let you off; but the example would be bad." He

hesitated, then slumped into querulous resentment: "I don't like the way you're taking this, my boy."

Dick shrugged his shoulders. "I don't see that it's up to you to like or dislike it. You paid me a beggarly wage, set temptation in my way, and now you're sending me to jail. Besides, you always told me that Electrical Supplies would come up again. You can take over the shares that I've defaulted on—it's not too late; so you're safe."

Mr. Yeams nodded wisely when Dick had left him and his office door had closed. The question he asked himself was how his cashier, with a salary of three thousand and a growing family, could have bought shares in Electrical Supplies? His wife's money? Unlikely. He set on foot a stealthy inquiry.

It was Christmas Eve. The bank had closed. Some of the clerks who had to travel to distant family gatherings had already left. The rest were making hasty haste to be gone, exchanging jokes and calling good wishes after each one of their number to leave them. Dick looked like an undertaker at a wedding—mournfully out of place. His face was drawn, and white, his eyes haunted and hollow. For the last fortnight, since the rumour from Washington had spread abroad, shares in all Trust organizations had been falling. A week ago he could have sold out and just cleared himself, so as to get back the bonds which he had left with his broker to be held as collateral against his margins. It was Mr. Yeams' assurances that Electrical Supplies were sound that had tempted him to hang on. And now the price had sunk so low that he couldn't save any of his margins without selling some of the bonds that he had borrowed. He was caught.

The president's door opened. "Oh, Dick, spare me a minute, will you?"

Dick mustered an expression of cheerfulness and squared his shoulders. He always did that when he knew he was watched. On entering the office, he saw that two strangers were present: one directly behind him, near the door, as if to block his exit; the other beside the desk, facing him. Mr. Yeams looked up coldly. "Been speculating?"

"Yes."

"Ah! Had any success?" Dick's blood boiled. He had conjured up this scene during the sleepless hours of many a long night, and he had always seen himself emerging for mercy. His worst fear had been that he would behave like a coward. Perhaps it was because he had lived through the ordeal so many times that he conducted himself like an actor, mouthing but unaffected by a tragedy. He answered quite normally:

"Success! You know, I haven't. Let's cut this short. I borrowed twenty-five of the bank's Florida Irrigation bonds. I left them with Ivy and Macdougal, my brokers, as collateral to hold against my margins. I speculated in Electrical Supplies; at the present moment I'm ten thousand dollars to the bad. What are you going to do with me?"

Such impudent boldness took Mr. Yeams by surprise. "Do with you!" He scratched his head. "Do with you! God ble's my soul, if you can't redeem those bonds, I'll have to have you arrested!"

"Well, I can't. For years I've run your bank and received three thousand dollars a year for it. One can't save much out of that and raise a family."

Mr. Yeams looked very sad, very grieved, very perplexed. Perhaps he was worried by a passage he remembered from sermons, such as "Blessed are the merciful," etc. What he said was:

"I trusted you with everything. For myself, I'd let you off; but the example would be bad." He

"Who are they? You're dreaming, girlie."

"But don't play with me. Don't put me off. What is the matter?"

She tugged him tightly to her, hiding her face against his breast. He persisted in pretending to misunderstand.

"Nothing's the matter, darling. It's Christmas Eve; I'd come in to fill your stocking."

She was passed out of the room, he met his wife on the landing. "Did I hear Madge crying?" she questioned in a whisper.

He stooped, gathering up the presents for Tommy, so as not to look at her. "Madge crying!"

She woke frightened. Was not really awake. Dreaming, I guess."

He was uneasy lest his wife might question him when they went to bed. She was strangely silent and unaccustomed to him. He lay awake, staring at the ceiling, fearful lest he should disturb her. Every nerve in his body craved an answer to one question: Were those men still out there? He could hear it no longer. Having listened to his wife's breathing and found it regular, he crept out. At first he saw nothing—only frost and shadows. Then he caught the figure of a man right under the wall below him, looking up into his eyes. He wondered if Madge—little Madge, standing barefooted at her window—were also watching that watcher. He crept back, and climbed softly into bed. Again he listened. Mary was too motionless; she ought to have stirred. What did she suspect?

The door that led out of the living-room into his library was open. His desk stood in full view of his wife as she sat at the breakfast-table. He stepped over to the drawer of mystery, unlocked it, and took out two small parcels. She had risen. Madge stood behind her. "For you. And for you," he said huskily, and turned away, ashamed of what he was doing—giving them the fruits of theft.

He heard a gasp as the boxes were opened. "For me! Why, father!"

Madge was in his arms. His wife came slowly over to him. He thought she was going to make him take it back. She tried to speak, and couldn't. She kissed him, holding out her arm for him to fasten the bracelet on it. It was all so different from the scene that he had pictured.

All morning, with a feverish display of high spirits, Dick played the game like a man secretly aware that in his body were the seeds of death, yet determined to get the most out of it while life lasted.

An unexplained and new sympathy had crept into the attitude of his wife: anxiety to demonstrate affection without language—and effort to make appreciation conspicuous. With both Mary and Madge it was as if they realized that a blow was threatening, but dared not mention it lest speech should lead it hasty.

On Christmas afternoon it had been the practice of Mr. Yeams to pay Mary a visit. He was a man whose habit had been formed years before, when she was a little girl and her father, his friend, was alive. Glancing out of the window, Dick saw with anger and dismay that the familiar brougham was halting at his gate.

He faced quickly into the room. "I'm not going to see him."

Mary's lips had gone white; she rested her hand on his arm. "Dear, I understand."

Not until he had accomplished his escape did her answer strike him as peculiar. He had never approved of the way in which Mary had accepted his employer's social favours—favours from which he was tacitly excluded. But it wasn't like Mary to admit so quickly that there were just grounds for his annoyance. What

had she meant by saying, "I understand?"

Across the street, emphasizing the discrepancies of the situation, those two men were still watching. In following their movements, he failed to observe how time was passing. He sat down. At last he was by himself. Sinking his face in his hands, he acknowledged facts—at this hour to-morrow he would be in prison.

From the foot of the stairs a voice called: "He's gone Dickie."

He pulled himself together. He wouldn't need to be brave much longer.

Evening dragged itself out to a finish. Nine, ten, eleven—the children had exhausted their last excuse for not going up to bed. Tommy and Hester had vanished; Madge lingered. Dick turned abruptly. "Kiddie, it's time you went."

Then, to his wife: "Why don't you go, too, Mary? You're tired."

They kissed him. Words were on their lips that struggled to be said. They crossed the room to the door; came back swiftly, by a common impulse, and kissed him again; then, to his great relief, he heard their footsteps trailing fainter up the stairs. Would they return? Slow movements overhead. Thank God, the house was silent!

He spoke with his conscience. If he had succeeded, he'd have been reckoned clever by the world. He was a thief, because he had failed.

Was that someone stirring? He heard a creak on the stairs. His heart was in his throat. Sliding his feet so as to make no noise, he crossed the room, set the door ajar, and listened. Utter quiet.

How should he face the crisis? He stood beside the desk—opened a drawer stealthily. A revolver was lying in his hand. Madge! They'd call her father a coward!

With a reckless self-distrust and instinct to protect her, he flung temptation from him through the window, with a crash.

Feet upon the stairs. Those men outside—they also would have heard it. They'd come for him now. Love, shame, and tragedy—the mountain-tops of life—call for darkness. He switched off the light and stood tense.

The door opened. Mary trembled on the threshold, the lamp in the hall lengthening her shadow; it lay along the floor till it touched his feet. Her eyes followed to where he stood, wraith-like and erect. The cold night air, blowing in through the shattered pane, chilled his blood. He shivered.

She ran to him, and folded him in her arms. "You're hurt?"

He tried to push her from him. He must tell her. "I'm not—but—"

She silenced him, pressing her lips against his mouth. "I couldn't speak. All day I wanted to speak about it. I was waiting for you, I guessed. You did it because of me. And then Mr. Yeams—Oh, Dickie, why didn't you come to me yourself? There was my money. You thought I wouldn't... you thought I was too selfish. I taught you to think that. But I did save you, Dickie; and now—"

She ceased. He had jerked away his mouth. He was listening for the rush up the path, the clomping of the bell, the bursting of the door—the invasion. He heard only the wrenching sobs of the woman quivering against his breast.

Her head lay on his shoulder. He bent above her. "And now?"

She clutched him fast, fearing he would struggle from her. "I'm more than the mother of your children? Say—say I am!"

His voice came awed and strangled. The horror had departed—there were all the other days before him. "Dearest, you have proved it."

"And it took this to prove it!" she wept.

# THE HONG KONG TELEGRAPH.

## SECOND EXTRA

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JULY 11, 1914.

### TELEGRAMS.

[The following telegrams arrived too late for insertion on Page 1.]

### CHINA AND TIBET.

### SIR E. GREY SPEAKS OUT.

(Reuter's Service To "The Telegraph.")

London. Received July 11.  
In the House of Commons, during the debate on the Foreign Office Vote, Sir Edward Grey regretted that China had not so far signed the Tibetan Convention and had not agreed to the boundaries proposed. He hoped China would sign the Convention. If she did not, but resorted to an aggressive policy, the consequences must be disastrous to China, and there would certainly be serious trouble on the Indian frontier, compelling Britain seriously to take up the matter with the Government of China itself.

### HOME CRICKET.

London. Received July 11.  
Yorkshire beat Northamptonshire at Huddersfield by 10 runs. (Last year Northants won by 20 runs).

### PARLIAMENT.

### GOVERNMENT PLANS.

London. Received July 11.  
It is generally believed that the Government will prorogue Parliament immediately the Finance Bill and necessary Supply are finished and the House of Commons has considered the Home Rule (Amending) Bill—probably the middle of August. The new Session will open early in November.

### ALBANIAN UNREST.

London. Received July 11.  
Reuter's correspondent at Rome states that the Prince of Albania has asked Roumania to send troops to restore order in Albania. Austria and Italy support the request.

### MEXICAN AFFAIRS.

London. Received July 11.  
Reuter's correspondent at Saltillo states that General Carranza announces that the Federal forces have evacuated Guaymas, an important port on the west coast, and that the rebels are now concentrating 20,000 men against San Luis Potosi.

### THE REBEL ADVANCE.

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### The Taming Delayed.

The s.s. Taming arrived in port to-day from Manila. She left Manila on the 8th inst., having been delayed for two days in consequence of stormy weather.

### Midshipmen Arrive.

By the P. and O. steamer Nile there arrived in the Colony from Home six midshipmen to join H.M.S. Hampshire, at present in Northern waters. They are:—Means, C. B. Allen, J. H. N. Meiklejohn, H. C. Macdonald, W. M. P. Hornby, J. de C. Richards and C. M. Usher. They are now on H.M.S. Triumph and will proceed to Weihaiwei on or about the 20th inst.

### TELEGRAMS.

### THE ULSTER QUESTION.

### PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT'S RESOLVE.

(Reuter's Service To "The Telegraph.")

London. Received July 11.

It is officially announced that the Ulster Provisional Government has passed a resolution declaring its willingness to consider any proposal preserving the rights under the Imperial Parliament, but it distrusts the Government's bona fides and is compelled to press on arrangements to resist the imposition of the Home Rule Parliament on Ulster. The Provisional Government has instructed the Executive to act accordingly.

The Provisional Government also resolved to call on the people to see that everyone, while in Ulster under their jurisdiction shall enjoy the same religious and civil freedom as now, irrespective of creed, and to exercise the same restraint as hitherto in carrying out whatever forward steps the Executive considers desirable.

The Unionist Council decided to leave the question of when definite action should be taken to Sir Edward Carson.

### Press Warnings.

"Ireland Under Arms," "The War Preparations," "Ulster on Edge of Last Step," are specimen headings from to-day's Conservative papers, which are full of pictures of the Volunteer parades and portraits of the Ulster leaders. They publish solemn despatches and editorials warning the British public that the storm may burst at any moment, as Ulstermen are sick at the inaction.

One paper declares that Sir Edward Carson, in his speech to the Ulster Council, said the height of the crisis was hardly more than a matter of minutes.

Mr. Walter Long, interviewed at Belfast, said he had never seen such strength of feeling displayed before, and any attempt at peace-making on the basis of compromise would be doomed to failure.

### A Wooden Thunderbolt.

The Liberal papers characterise yesterday's resolution of the Ulster Provisional Government as a wooden thunderbolt and a ludicrous sequel to the boasting. They declare that Ulster is invaded by a horde of Tory journalists, saying that one paper is represented by half a dozen special correspondents, a medical correspondent and two photographers with motors, and has a private wire to London. They warn their readers to accept with caution the sensational statements telegraphed to the Unionist Press.

Their editorials express disgust at a moment when the moderates of all parties are striving for a settlement which is likely to cause considerable comment both in legal and in motor circles. A pedestrian knocked down by a taxi-cab in the Champs Elysees was held responsible for the damage caused by it to another motor car in trying to avoid him. The owner of the motor, M. Lefranc, sued the Taxicab Company for £50 compensation for damage to his car by the collision. The company, in its defense, entered the novel plea that the accident was solely due to the carelessness of the pedestrian, Pedro de Flores, in not assuring himself that the road was clear before crossing.

The police in Ulster towns will be reinforced in view of the Boyne celebrations to-morrow.

### Appointment.

Captain W. D. Lindsay, R.A., 24th (Hazarra) Mountain Battery is performing the duties of permanent Captain, in addition to his own duties, from July 5, 1914.

### No Adulteration.

During the quarter ended June 30, there were eight samples of milk, six of whisky and four of bread examined under the Sale of Food and Drugs Ordinance. All were genuine.

### SANITARY BOARD.

### TWO SHIELD MATCHES AT THE V.R.C.

Last Night.

Following are the orders of the day for the meeting of the Sanitary Board to be held on Tuesday:—

Minute by the President of the Sanitary Board relative to the appointment of Mr. W. Elliott, R.A.M.C., as a Second Class Sanitary Inspector.

Mr. P. W. Golding, pursuant to notice, will move:—

"That in view of the recent outbreak of plague in Alexandria Building and the general insanitary and dirty condition of the passage ways between (1) Alexandria Building and King's Building, immediate steps be taken to provide for a regular inspection to take place between the hours of 7 p.m. and 7 a.m. of all buildings in the Central District which are used partly as offices and partly for residential purposes, so that a proper supervision and control may be exercised over the Chinese coolies and other servants employed in such buildings; and that the provisions of Bye-law No. 8, relating to scavenging and conservancy, be rigidly enforced."

Proposed amendment of the by-laws relating to the Prevention and Mitigation of Epidemic, Contagious or Infectious Disease and to the Disinfection of Infected Premises.

Correspondence relative to the application for permission to erect 2 water closets and 2 urinals at St. George's Buildings, Marine Lot No. 286.

Result of the examinations made under "The Sale of Food and Drugs Ordinance, 1896," for the quarter ended 30th June, 1914.

Report from the Government Analyst on the public water supplies for the month of June, 1914.

List of legal proceedings taken by this Department against persons for breaches of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance No. 1 of 1903 during the month of June, 1914.

Limewashing return for the fortnight ending 23rd June, 1914.

Mortality return for the weeks ending 21st and 28th June, 1914.

Mortality return from Macao for the weeks ending 21st and 28th June, 1914.

Rat return for the weeks ending 27th June and 4th July, 1914.

### THE PLAGUE—FOUR FRESH CASES.

The official statement made to the Press on June 22 was that four fresh cases of plague had occurred in Colombo. One infected rat was found at Kochikadde.

### Rights of Motorists.

The Civil Tribunal of the Seine (says a Paris report) has pronounced a judgment which is likely to cause considerable comment both in legal and in motor circles. A pedestrian knocked down by a taxi-cab in the Champs Elysees was held responsible for the damage caused by it to another motor car in trying to avoid him. The owner of the motor, M. Lefranc, sued the Taxicab Company for £50 compensation for damage to his car by the collision.

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### WATER POLO.

### TWO SHIELD MATCHES AT THE V.R.C.

Last Night.

There was a good attendance at the V.R.C. last night to witness the two shield games fixed for that date. The first game was between the V.R.C. "B" team and the R.G.A. the teams turning out as follows:

V.R.C. "B" team:—Braga, Railton, Roberts, Collins, Souza, Roza and Ribeiro.

R.G.A.:—Croxier, Potts, Bancroft, Chisholm, Baker, Myson and Mungchen.

From the first chase after the ball it was obvious that Souza was going to cause some trouble to the other side by his turn of speed and he had received the ball and placed it advantageously to the rear before the opposing team had got anywhere near it.

Roza played a good game in so much as he watched with care his position and never allowed his man to go unmarked. Exchanges were fairly even for a while, the V.R.C. showing better combination, but failing in their shooting. Roberts, who was doing remarkable defence work, then came forward with his play. Passing to Roza he left the ball in good hands, and the latter with a splendid shot opened the scoring. Then the R.G.A. realised the seriousness of the situation with half time drawing rapidly near, and they settled down to better combined play. Braga was tested repeatedly, but never was found wanting in that moiety. His saves were remarkable and won for him loud applause. When the whistle sounded the score was:—V. R. C. 1 goal, R. G. A. nil.

In the second half, play was just as determined as the first, but any improvement that was shown was associated with the Artillerymen. Dyson, after very hard lines when close in, eventually put the ball through and equalised matters.

In the excitement occasioned by the equalisation, play became not quite so clean as it

could have been, but under the circumstances this was pardonable and on every occasion that the referee had to call a player up the injured party took it good naturedly, and the penalised one invariably regretted that excitement should have interfered with his judgment.

Play became very fast and there was nothing doing in the goal for some time. At last Ribeiro

determined to secure a goal and his efforts were rewarded when he beat the custodian all the way with a fast shot. Shortly afterwards Roza put up another goal, and just as it appeared a certainty for the civilians Dyson scored again for his side. There were but a few minutes to go now, and though the soldiers tried hard to make a drawn game of it they did not succeed and they had to accept defeat.

Final score:—V.R.C. "B" team 3 goals, R.G.A. 2 goals.

The Second Game.

The D.C.L.I. team then engaged the R.E.'s, the game ending in a draw—1-1.

The teams were:—R.E. :—Lewis, Tucker, Hitchen, Morris, Sanders, Wright and Ferigan.

D.C.L.I. :—Ward, Passmore, Baldwin, Farmer, Cussell, Smith and Walls.

The game was fast and exciting throughout and was fought with the spirit that animates all inter-

regimental games. Tucker commenced his old style of trying long shots, and though they did not result in a score they were certainly of great concern to the opposing defence. It was left to Sanders, however, to open the scoring and give the Engineers the lead, and he did so cleverly.

Morris had not much opportunity of goal shooting, but he did very hard and useful work in keeping the ball up to the other end

### SEPOY CHARGED.

### ALLEGED ASSAULT AND ROBBERY.

The charge against a sepoys

in the 26th Punjabis of being concerned in assaulting and robbing a silk hawkers proceeded with this morning, by Mr. J. R. Wood, at the Police Court.

At the last hearing the complainant informed his Worship that he had sold \$14 worth of silk to some of the 26th Punjabis and on his way back to Hongkong was set upon by some sepoys, of whom the defendant was one, and robbed of the money and the remainder of his silk.

Inspector Sim, of Kowloon City, deposed to visiting the scene of the alleged robbery on Anderson Road and finding signs of a scuffle.

The case was again remanded.

### CHURCH SERVICES.

### ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL, HONGKONG.

12th July, 1914. 5th Sunday

after Trinity; Holy Communion (8.05 a.m.) with music;

Matins, 11 a.m. Responses;

Ferial; Venite, Burrows;

Psalm, Jones and Camidge; Te Deum, Oakley in F (15th even-

ing); Jubilate, Goodson; Hymns,

272 and 215; N. B. Psalm 62,

verses 1 and 2 in unison; Psalm 63, verses 1 and 2 in unison;

Psalm 64, verses 1, 2 and 10 in unison; Litany, 12 noon. Even-

ing, 5.40 p.m. (Full Choir).

Responses; Ferial; Psalms,

Garrison, Tomlinson and Wesley;

Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis;

Goss in A; Anthem; Send out

Thy Light;—Gounod; Hymns,

218 and 197; Sevenfold Amen;

Voluntary; Choral Prelude on

Hymn 167;—Parry.

First Church of Christ Scientist,

MacDonnell Road, Sunday

11.15 a.m. Wednesday 5.30 p.m.

Union Church; Kennedy Road;

Sunday, July 12. Morning

Service at 10.30. Hymns: 369,

585, 236 and 298. Evening

Service at 6 p.m. Hymns: 229,

238, 267 and 160. Preacher,

Rev. J. Kirk Macauley.

St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon,

12th June, 1914, 6th Sunday,

after Trinity. Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Morning Prayer

11 a.m. Responses; Festal

Venite; Burrows, Day 12.

Psalm: As set. Te Deum: S.

Jude; Jubilate; Benedictus

## FOR THE LADIES.

## OUR WEEKLY CAUSERIE ON WOMEN'S MATTERS.

STYLE IN COTTON FROCKS—NEW SUMMER MILLINERY—  
HOUSEHOLD HINTS AND RECIPES.

It is a curious fact that the cheapest cotton frocks, whether they are of the "ready made" order, or not, nearly always look the note of simplicity that is the hall-mark of style. The makers of these cheap things seem to take a delight in applying all sorts of adventitious ornaments, bits of lace, incongruous buttons, colour "reliefs" of the wrong tint, and in the wrong places, with disastrous effect. Two striking examples of this sort of thing were recently seen. One was a gown of darkish blue linen, quite well fitting, but disfigured with bands of coarse white lace applied to simulate aprons at back and front, and secured with blue buttons; and the second a little frock of cream crepe that would have been extremely smart and pretty but for a lot of pale blue buttons distributed about it in an apparently haphazard manner, giving it a distinctly "common" appearance.

## Spots and Checks.

The heavier cottons such as the new soft finished pique, corduroy, or poplin weavings, should always be cut on the tailor principle, whether made with a coat—worn over a lingerie slip—or blouse; this last of the shirt type, easy fitting, but without the fulness under the arms that characterizes tailor shirts of softer materials.

These weavings come in charming plain colours, and also in close spots, checks, and stripes, which are extremely smart when properly handled. They also soil less quickly than white or light tints, a point worthy of consideration, for it is essential that a cotton frock should appear immaculately clean and fresh.

A good style for these fancy piques is a narrow skirt with long raglan type, bordered with plain colour to match the spot or darker check, and collar and cuffs to match, over which are worn desigual ones of white embroidery, lawn or muslin.

## Muslin and Voile.

For thin fabrics, such as the charming muslins and cotton voiles, spotted, checkered, or printed in floral designs, one of the greatest styles is the three-tiered, flounced skirt, each flounce bordered with plain muslin or ribbon, and a graceful blouse to match. Frocks of this kind have sleeves coming to just below the elbow, finished with dainty "up and down" flounce frills, with a twist ribbon between.

A delightful style for young girls' tea frocks is white voile, with the three flounces edged with white ribbon and a sash of plain soft taffeta or satin, matching the most distinct tint in the chintz design.

## Crepe and Ratine.

The newest cotton crepe is a very fine close weaving, resembling the more expensive sister, crepe de chine, and the ratine—or sponge cloth—is also finer and closer than that worn last year. Both come in a large range of colours, of which, at the moment, pink is extremely fashionable, ranging from the palest blush to the deepest rose tints; also light or dark Peking blue, mauve, mastic, and dove grey. They are made up with plain skirts, double tunics, and smart little coatees or bodices, and the sash is always a notable feature, often black, with embroidery, ends finished with the new "pelerin" fringe.

## The New Cypress Green.

At all the smart gatherings in Paris lately it has been noticed that green reigns supreme over every other colour, as taffeta does over every other material. Even the favourite *tete de fer* has had to give way. The most popular shade is a dark cypress and very beautiful it is when taffeta is the fabric used.

A distinguishing feature of one of these dresses is the fashionable long tunic, which reaches to within a few inches of the feet. The simple Magyar corset has full, wide ruffles at the neck and elbows, and a big full sash over

## THE HOUSEKEEPING HUSBAND.

## A Bungling and Deluded Intruder.

The Highgate husband who took over the domestic commissariat department from his wife and after a six months' trial claimed to have saved £2 a week on the household bills must have been surprised by the reception given to his experiment, says the *Daily Mail*. So far from being hailed as a social benefactor, he is treated as a bungling and deluded intruder; his figures are scouted, his methods are derided, and his whole achievement is belittled in an outcry of feminine incredulity and contempt. This is hard on an intrepid pioneer who doubtless thought he was making no small contribution to civilisation. But we agree with those of our correspondents who have maintained that in a matter of this kind a mere list of the savings effected does not cover the whole ground. We want to know more about the domestic reactions of this masculine invasion of the kitchen and the larder. What is the wife's, what especially is the cook's, private opinion of it?

On the whole, men, if they are wise, will confine themselves to the comparatively easy task of running their own businesses instead of exposing their shortcomings in a sphere that is far beyond their capacities. At the same time, it might make for a better understanding between men and women if once a year every husband were obliged to take a brief turn at the household wheel. Keeping house is by far the most difficult of all the professions; and a woman who is a good housekeeper would, if she were a man, be a Kitchener or a Carnegie. The distinctive tragedy of her situation is, that while one may assume Lord Kitchener to be interested in war and administration, and Mr. Carnegie in steel, most women have no interest in food, which is the pivot of their household work, and only apply themselves to its problems because they are compelled to. They pass through life knowing precisely what they are going to eat to-night and most of to-morrow; a meal to them is not a surprise or an occasion for self-gratification, but a domestic crisis foreseen and prepared for, and all the pleasure they get out of it is purely managerial. Most men would decide that after a week of a similar existence they had had quite enough of it.

Washing Coloured Blouses. Ninon, crepe de chine, voile, and soft silk blouses, scarves, and so on are very easy to wash. White ones should be washed in a lather of Lux and rinsed first in hot, then in tepid, water, squeezed—or put through a wringer between thicknesses of flannel or a folded piece of old linen, then any lace or net pulled into shape and the garment rolled up in a cloth till nearly dry, and ironed on the wrong side with a warm iron. A sleeve board covered with flannel should be used for blouses. Coloured should be washed in bran water, made by boiling half a pound of bran, tied loosely in a muslin bag and boiled in a gallon of water, which is then allowed to cool till the hands can comfortably be placed in it. A little lather of oval soap may be used, if necessary, to wash any specially soiled bits, but soap must never be rubbed directly on the fabric, and the washing must be accomplished by squeezing and "suddling" not by rubbing. Rinse, dry, and iron according to directions given above.

## Useful Household Hints.

To Kill Cockroaches.—Hongkong housewives will be glad to know that they can obtain locally, at the Victoria Dispensary, a most effective preparation for killing cockroaches. This is known as "Blattis," a paste which is smeared over pieces of brown paper and placed on the floor of the infested room. After eating the paste the cockroaches retire to their holes and there die, leaving no dead insects about, and they are so shrivelled up by the paste that no smell can arise. It has been tried with great success in Hongkong.

To Clean Wicker Furniture.—Scrub raw wicker with a stiff brush and white soap suds. Rinse, dry quickly; then brush all over with turpentine and sweet oil jug, add sifted sugar to taste, fill up with soda water, put in a good lump of ice, and two or three strawberries or cherries.

Queen Pudding.—Put a layer of any kind of jam into a buttered pie dish, cover with stale sponge cake cut in fingers; repeat until the dish is nearly full. Make a boiled custard with half a pint of milk, the yolks of two eggs, and one tablespoonful of sugar. Flavour with a few drops of essence of vanilla and pour over the sponge cake, etc. Allow this to soak for one hour. Whisk the whites of the eggs with a small quantity of sugar and a few drops of vanilla. Spread this on the top of the pudding, and place it in the oven to brown.

To Brighten a Carpet.—To brighten a carpet, take five or six large potatoes and scrape them fine into a pail of water. Stir and strain. Wring out a cloth in the water and rub the carpet, in a quick oven to brown.

## MARKET PRICES.

Hongkong July 6, 1914.

## BUTCHER MEAT.

	Cts.	内食	
Beef Sirloin & Prime Cut,—Mei Lung Pa	lb. 12	Shat,—Maueau Y	lb. 35 左
" Corned,—Ham Ngau Yuk	20	Salmon—PS	10
" Roast,—Shiu	22	Sao Yark—Yu	12
" Breast,—Ngau Lam	18	Shrimps—Ha	28
" Soup,—Tong Yuk	18	Snapper,—Lay Yu	32
" Steak,—Ngau Yuk Pa	22	Soles—Tat So Yu	28
" do,—Sirloin Ngau Lau	35	Turbot,—Cho How Yu	18
" Sausages,—Ngau Chaung	20	Turtles, small, fresh water,—Kork Yu	20
Bullock's Brains—", Know	per set 12	White Bait,—Ngau Yu Chai	60
" Tongue fresh,—Ngau Li	each 60		—
" corned,—Ham Ngan Li	0		
" Head,—Ngau Tau	\$1.20	Almonds,—Hung Yan	lb. 30
" Heart,—Ngau Sun	14	Apples (California)—Kam San Ping Kho	25
" Hump, Scl.—Ngau Kun	24	" (Chefoo)—Tin Chun Ping Kho	—
" Feet,—Ngau Kaski	8	" Small,—Hoi Tong	—
" Kidneys,—Ngau Yiu	12	" Custard,—Fan Lai Chi	each
" Tail,—Ngau Mei	12	Bananas, fragrant, Canton,—San Shing Heng Chiu	lb. 4
" Liver,—Ngau Kon	lb. 22	(brides), Macao,—San Heung Chiu	—
" Tripe (untrussed),—Ngau To	7	Chestnuts, Chinese,—Foong Lat	—
Calves' Head & Feet,—Ngau-chai-tau-kark	set \$1	Carambola,—Yeung Tue	—
Mutton Chop,—Yeung Pai Kwat	lb. 25	Cocoanuts,—Yeh Tee	each 12
" Leg,—Yeung Pei	25	Lemons, China,—Ning Moong	lb. 8
" Shoulder,—Yeung Shan	24	America,—Kum San Ning Moong	—
Pigs Chittinge,—Chu Chong	per set 2	Liches Dried,—Lai Chi, small Stone	60
" Brains,—Chu Know	lb. 12	Fresh,	—
" Feet,—Chu Kark	3	" (Canton), Cooked,—S'a Lay	20
" Fry,—Chu Chak	17	Peanuts,—Fa Sang	10
" Head,—Chu Tau	each 10	Persimmons Large,—Hung Chie	—
" Heart,—Chu Sun	pair 8	Pine-apples, 1st quality,—Poon Ti Paw Law	12
" Kidneys,—Chu Yiu	lb. 24	2nd " —Chung-tang Paw Law	10
" Liver,—Chu Con	23	Platain,—Tai Cheu	lb. 3
Pork, Chop,—Chu Pai Kwat	—	Plums,—Swatow, Hung Lai	8
" Corned,—Ham Chu Yuk	—	Pumelo, Siam,—Chim Lo Yau	each 6
" Leg,—Chu Pei	—	Shanghai,—Lo Kwat	—
" Fat or Lard,—Chu Yiu	—	Walnuts,—Hop Tuo	lb. 15
Sheep Head and Feet,—Tau Kark	set 65	" Green,—Sang Hop Tuo	—
" Heart,—Yeung Sun	each 7	Water Melon,—(Am), Kom San Sai Kwa	each 14
" Kidneys,—Yeung Yiu	10	(China) Sui Kwa	—
" Liver,—Yeung Con	lb. 25	Grapes,—Sang Po Tai Tse	lb. 15
Sucking Pigs, To Order,—Chu Cha	22		
Suet, Beef,—Sang Ngau Yau	18		
Mutton,—Sang Yeung Yau	24		
Veal,—Ngau Chai Yuk	19		
Sausages,—Ngau Chai Chuang	20		

## POULTRY.

	Cts.	生口	
Chicken,—Kai Chai	lb. 32	Artichokes, Shanghai,—Sheung-hoi Ah Ohi	了治竹
Capons, Large, Small,—Sin Kai	32	Chenk	演巴通
Ducks,—Ap	20	Beans (French), Macao,—Oh Moon Pin Tan	中等波羅
Doves,—Pan Kau	each 1	" (French) Shanghai,—Sheung-hai Pin	大通
Eggs, Hen,—Kai Tan	per doz 20	Tan	通
Fowls, Canton,—Kai	lb. 35	Sprout,—Ali Cho	通
Hainan,—Ho Nam Kai	30	Long,—Tau Ko	通
Geese,—Ngo	22	Beet Root,—Hung Choi Tan	通
Geese, Wild Shai,—Shang-ho Yea Ngo	—	Brinjals, Green,—Ching Yun	通
Musk Deer,—Wong Keng	—	" Red,—Hung Ker	通
Hare, Shanghai,—Tu Chai	—	Cabbage, Chinese, com,—Kai Choy	通
Partridge,—Che Kho	—	Cabbage Red,—Hung Yea Choy	通
Phasian,—Shan Kai	pair \$	Cabbage, Shanghai,—Yeh Choi	通
Pigeons, Canton,—Pak Kup	each 33	Cane Shoots, bunch,—Kan Shan	通
" Ho-ho,—Ho How Pak Kup	25	Cauliflower, Large size,—Tai Yeh Cho Fa	通
Quail,—Um-Chun	—	" Medium size,—Cheung Yeh Cho Fa	通
Rice Birds,—Wo Fa Cheuk	dozen 1	" Small size,—Sai Yen Choi Fa	通
Snipe,—Su Choy	each 1	Carrots,—Kam Shan	通
Turkeys, Cook,—Phor Kai Kung	lb. 60	Celery, Chinese,—Tong Kan Choi	通
" Hen,—Na	45	" English,—Young Kan Choi	通
Wild Ducks, S'hai,—Shang-ho Sui Ap	—	Chillies Dried,—Gon Lat Chiu	通
" Sui Ap Chai	—	" Red,—Hung For Chiu	通
Ducks, Canton,—Sang Shing Sui Ap	—	" Green,—Ching Lat Chiu	通

## FISH.

	Cts.	海鮮	
Barbel,—Ka Yu	lb. 20	Onions, Bombay,—Young Chong Tau	通
Bream,—Bin Yu	18	" Gresz,—Sang Chong	通
Canton Fresh Water Fish,—Ho Sin Yu	18	" Shanghai,—Shang-hoi Chong Tau	通
Carp,—Li Yu	20	Papaya, 1st qual.,—Tai Man Sui Kua	通
Catfish,—Chik Yu	10	2nd " Chong	通
Codfish,—Man Yu	15	Parsley,—Kun Cho	通
Crabs,—Hei	24	Green Peas,—Ching Tau	通
Cuttle Fish,—Muk Yu	16	Potatoe's, Sweet,—Fan Shu	通
Dab,—Sa Mang Yu	14	" Shanghai,—Shang-hoi Shu Tea	通
Dace,—Wong Mei Lun	10	" Japan,—Yut Poon Shu Tea	通
Dog Fish,—Tit Tu Sa	10	" American,—Fa Ki Shu Tea	通
Eels, Conger,—Hoi Mann	13	Foochow,—Foo-chow Shu Tea	通
" Fresh water,—Tam Sin Yu	16	Pumpkin,—Tong Kwa	通
Eels, Yellow,—Wong Sin	30	" Radish,—Hung Lo Pak Tai	通
Frogs,—Tien Kai	28	Rhubarb (Fresh),—Tai Wong	通
Grouper,—Sek Pan	45	Sage,—Te So	通
Grundgeon,—Pak Kup Yo	15	Shallots,—Gon Chang Tau	通
Herrings,—Tso Pak	20	Spinach,—Yin Choi	通
Hiliduit,—Chong Kwan Kup	23	Tomatoes,—Fan Ker	通
Labras,—Wong Fa Yu	20	" Taro,—Wu Tau	通
Loach,—Wu Yu	24	Tun ips (Punti, Long),—Lo Pak	通
Lobsters,—Lang Ha	30	" English,—Young Lo Pak	通
Mackerel,—Ohi Yu	26	Vegetable Marrow,—Chit Kwa	通
Mullet,—Ohi Yu	25	" (American),—Kam-san Chit Kwa	通
Oysters,—Sang Hoo	20	Water Cress,—Se Young Oho	通
Barnothash,—Kai Kung Yu	10	" Lily root,—Lin Ngau	通
" eron,—Tau Loo	16	Yams,—Ta Shu	通
Pike,—Fa Paw Poong	10	Yeast,—Ta Po</td	

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

GEO. P. LAMMERT,  
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GENERAL BROKER

THE Undersigned has received  
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Public Auction on  
MONDAY,  
the 12th July 1914, commencing  
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Rooms, Duddell Street  
A Quantity of Valuable House-  
hold Furniture.

Comprising:-

TAPESTRY Covered drawing  
Room, Suite, EASY CHAIRS,  
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LACE CURTAINS, ENGRAV-  
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TURES etc. etc.

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SIDEBOARDS, TEAK DINNER  
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ICE CHESTS, COOKING  
STOVES, CUTLERY, CROCK-  
ERY & GLASS WARE, 8  
THERMOS FLASKS, etc. etc.

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WASHSTANDS, TOILET  
TABLES, CHEST OF DRAW-  
ERS, TOILET CROCKERY,  
etc. etc.

DOUBLE & SINGLE BRASS  
& BRASS MOUNTED BED-  
STEADS etc. etc.

Electric ceiling and table fans  
(new), 1 Combination safe (new),  
1 Pianola Piano by "Stock" and  
1 Treadle sewing machine (new).

Terms: Cash on delivery.  
On view from Friday the 10th  
July.

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A Fine Collection of Postage  
Stamps, in a Sectional Imperial  
Album.

(The collection has been divided  
up so that each country in its  
own Sectional album comprises  
one lot. No stamps have been  
removed from any section prior  
to sale).

On view from Saturday the  
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or remaining on board after 4 p.m.  
the 1st inst. will be landed at  
Consignee's risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance will be  
effected.

Bills of Lading will be counter-  
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JARDINE, MATHESON  
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General Agents.

Hongkong, 8th July, 1914. [609]

## CONSIGNEES

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## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship

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having arrived, Consignees of  
cargo are hereby informed that  
their Goods, with the exception  
of Opium, Treasure and Valu-  
ables, are being landed and stored  
at their risk into the hazardous  
and/or extra hazardous Godowns  
of the Hongkong and Kowloon  
Wharf and Godown Company,  
Limited, Kowloon, and West  
Point Godowns, whence delivery  
may be obtained.

Optional cargo will be forwarded  
on unless intimation is received  
from the Consignees before noon  
to-day requesting it to be landed  
here.

No claims will be admitted after  
the Goods have left the Godowns  
and all Goods remaining unde-  
livered after the 15th of July, will  
be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and dam-  
aged goods are to be left in the  
godowns, where they will be ex-  
amined on 15th inst., at 9.30 a.m.

All claims must reach us before  
the 22nd of July, 1914, or they  
will not be recognized.

Bills of Lading will be counter-  
signed by the undersigned.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD,  
MELCHERS & CO.,  
General Agents.

Hongkong 8th July, 1914. [605]

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD,  
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LINE.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship

"PRINZ EITEL FRIEDRICH,"  
having arrived, Consignees of  
cargo are hereby informed that  
their Goods, with the exception  
of Opium, Treasure and Valu-  
ables, are being landed and stored  
at their risk into the hazardous  
and/or extra hazardous Godowns  
of the Hongkong and Kowloon  
Wharf and Godown Company,  
Limited, Kowloon, and West  
Point Godowns, whence delivery  
may be obtained.

Optional cargo will be forwarded  
on unless intimation is received  
from the Consignees before noon  
to-day requesting it to be landed  
here.

No claims will be admitted after  
the Goods have left the Godowns,  
and all goods remaining un-  
delivered after the 15th of July,  
will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and dam-  
aged Goods are to be left in the  
godowns, where they will be ex-  
amined on the 15th of July,  
at 9.30 a.m.

All claims must reach us before  
the 22nd of July, 1914, or they  
will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be  
effected.

Bills of Lading will be counter-  
signed by the undersigned.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD,  
MELCHERS & CO.,  
General Agents.

Hongkong, 8th July, 1914. [609]

TOYO KISEN KAISHA.

s.s. "SHINYO MARU"

From SAN FRANCISCO, via  
HONOLULU, JAPAN PORTS,  
AND MANILA.

The above named Steamer hav-  
ing arrived, Consignees of cargo  
are hereby notified to send in their  
Bills of Lading for countersigna-  
ture, and to take immediate  
delivery of cargo from alongside.

Cargo remaining undelivered  
on July 7th at noon will be landed at  
Consignee's risk and expense and delivery  
must then be taken from the  
Company's Godown.

No Fire Insurance whatever  
will be effected.

No claim will be recognised  
after the Goods have left the  
Steamer or Godown, and all Goods  
remaining undelivered on July  
14th at 5 p.m. in the after-  
noon, will be subject to rent and  
landing charges.

All chafed and otherwise dam-  
aged cargo to be left on board  
or in the Godown, and examination  
of to be held on July 15th  
at 10 a.m.

All claims must be filed  
on or before July 21st,  
otherwise they will not be  
recognised.

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André, C.  
Bakhar, Senator T. J.  
Bates, E. R.  
Bell, C. D. J.  
Bellot, Mrs. E. R.  
Bena, G.  
Black, W. M.  
Bromley, F. G.  
Carbridge, A. J.  
Cawse, H.  
Chapman, W. E.  
Colman, Dr. A. L. E.  
Curry, G. P.  
D'Onoherty, Capt. &  
Mrs. A. J.  
Dougherty, Miss M.  
Dougherty, Miss D.  
Dougherty, Master.  
Draet, S.  
Duffy, Miss M. E.  
Ehrenfeld, Mr. & Mrs.  
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Fischer, F. S.  
Gibb, J.  
Gibson, H. Mrs.  
Grisgoe, P. de  
Hall, Capt. T. P.  
Headley, F. H.  
Hanning, Lee Lt. F.  
Hannan, W. A.  
Harper, G.  
Heimann, P.  
Hewitt, Hon. Mr. E.  
A. C. M. G.  
Hunter, R.  
Jones, M. T.  
Kockx, Capt. & Mrs.  
Lambert, Mrs.  
Lambert, Mr. & Mrs.  
Lambert, E. B.  
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Lewis, F. A.

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Burres, C.  
Carwen, Lt. Gen.  
Crambie, Lt. Gen.  
Eades, W. J.  
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Francisco, J. R.  
Fulcher, O. W.  
Gair, C.  
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Gappa, Lewis.  
Gillard, T. A.  
Gore, P. E.  
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Clegg, Mr. H.  
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Mrs. Iron, Grant.  
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Deyle, Mrs. Madison.  
Galbraith, V.  
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Harman, Hick, Mr. & Mrs.  
Higgs, Mr. & Mrs.  
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Horn, Jardine.  
Kept, De.  
Knapton.

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Langham Dr. & Mrs.  
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Leibmann.  
Lier.  
Owen.  
Rimod.  
Roller.  
Ruckius.  
Scott.  
Shattock.  
Stall.  
Steinhorst.  
Stott, A.  
Weisburd.  
Weitz.  
Wilson, Dr.  
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# SHARE REPORT.

## COMPARATIVE SHARE QUOTATIONS.

S.—SELLERS. SA.—SALES. B.—BUYERS. N.—NOMINAL.

STOCK.	To-day's Closing Prices	Number of Shares	Par Value	Paid Up	1913.		1914.		Last Dividend and Date
					Highest	Lowest	July 3rd to July 10th	Lowest	
<b>Banks.</b>									
Hongkong & Shai Banking Corp.	\$840 b.	120,000	\$125	all	835	Jan.	790 Aug.	840	830
	\$84								
Marine Insurances, Canton Insurance Office, Ltd.	310 b.	10,000	\$250	50	349	Oct.	270 Jan.	310	310
North China Ins. Co., Ltd.	140 b.	10,000	\$15	5	137½ Aug.	131	140 Jan.	140	140
Union Ins. Society of C'ton, Ltd.	3780 b.	12,100	\$250	100	845	April	784 Sept.	775	775
Yangtsze Ins. Assoc. Ltd.	\$194	12,000	\$100	60	200	April	185 June	194	194
Fire Insurances, China Fire Ins. Co., Ltd.	\$155 b.	20,000	\$100	20	161½ Dec.	146 May	155 May	154	\$10 for 1912
Hongkong Fire Ins. Co., Ltd.	\$380 b.	8,000	\$250	50	385 Jan.	354 May	390	387½	\$27 for 1912
Shipping, China & Manila S.S. Co., Ltd.	89 b.	30,000	\$25	all	113½ June	71½ Oct.	9	8	\$1 for 1906
Douglas Steamship Co., Ltd.	331 s.	20,000	\$50	all	42 May	30 Oct.	31	30½	\$2.50 for year endg 30/6/13
Hongkong, C. & M.S.S. Co., Ltd.	27 b.	80,000	\$15	all	29½ Aug.	27 April	27	27	1/3 Interim a/c year 1913 on preferred shares
Indo-China Steam Navigation Co., Ltd.	60 s.	60,000	\$3	all	99 April	75 Aug.	60	60	Final of 5/- making 7/- for 1913
Shell Transport & Trading Co., Ltd.	96/6 s.	3,797,610	\$1	all	118½ April	98/6 Oct.	99½	96/6	Interim of 1/- a/c 1914 C.N. No. 22
Star Ferry Company, Ltd.	44 s.	40,000	\$10	all	58 Oct.	32½ Jan.	46	44	\$1.70 per share and bonus of 30 cents per share for year ending 30/4/13
Refineries, China Sugar Refining Co., Ltd.	79 b.	20,000	\$100	all	112 Jan.	92½ Aug.	79	79	\$3 for 1912
Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Ltd.	528 b.	7,000	\$100	all	40 Jan.	30 Dec.	28	28	\$3 for 1897
Mining, Kailan Mining Admin'tion, Raub Australian Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	37/6 s.	1,000,000	£1	all	37½ Dec.	30½ July	37/6	37/6	Interim of 1/- for 1913 Coupon No. 3
Trough Mines Ltd.	30/ s.	200,000	£1	all	4½ Jan.	3 Aug.	3	3	1/2 for 1909
Docks, Wharves and Godowns &c.	883 b.	60,000	\$50	all	99 July	74 Mar.	83	82	\$3.50 for year 1913
Hongkong & W.W.G. Co., Ltd.	662 b.	50,000	\$50	all	90 June	56 Jan.	62	62	\$3 dividend for year 1913
Hongkong & W'pon D Co., Ltd.	30 b.	55,700	\$100	all	51 July	51 Jan.	60	59	Tls. 5 for 913
Shai Dock & Eng. Co., Ltd.	91 b.	66,000	\$100	all	113½ May	103 Jan.	91	91	Interim of Tls 3 for 1913
Lands, Hotels and Buildings, Anglo French Lands.	94 b.	25,000	\$100	all	125 Aug.	112 Mar.	94	94	Tls. 6 on 29/2/10
Hongkong Hotel Co., Ltd. (Old)	125 b.	12,000	\$50	25	—	125 Aug.	125	125	\$7 on old shares, \$3.50 on new shares for year 31/12/13
Hongkong Land Investment Co.	116 b.	50,000	\$100	all	118 July	101 Jan.	116	115	50 cents for 1913
H'p'ny Estate & F. Co., Ltd.	87/60 b.	150,000	\$10	all	9½ Sept.	72 Feb.	72	76	2.80 for 1913
K'loon Land & Building Co., Ltd.	44 b.	60,000	\$50	30	33 Aug.	44 Feb.	44	44	Interim of 5 p.c. for year endg 30/6/13
Shanghai Lands	92 b.	78,000	\$50	all	—	92	92	92	—
West Point Building Co., Ltd.	87/3 b.	12,500	\$50	all	74½ June	54½ Jan.	73	73	\$2.25 for half year ending 31/12/13
Manila M'p'le Hotel	p.8	15,000	\$10	all	—	8	8	8	15 per cent. for 1910
H'kong Central Estates	\$100 b.	10,000	\$100	all	—	100	100	100	First year.
Cotton Mills, Ewo Cotton S. & W. Co., Ltd.	132 b.	20,000	\$50	all	148½ Nov.	120 July	132	130	Tls. 15 for year ending 31/10/13
H'ngkong Cotton Co.	74 b.	125,000	\$10	all	104½ April	7½ Dec.	74	74	50 cents 31/2/08
Kung Yik	114 b.	75,000	\$10	all	15½ Jan.	12½ July	114	113	Tls. 1 for year ending 31/11/13
Laou Kung Mow	82 b.	8,000	\$100	all	112 Jan.	93 Sept.	82	81	Tls. 12 for 1913
Shanghai Cottons	111 b.	50,000	\$50	all	136 Mar.	104 Sept.	111	109	Tls. 10 for year ending 30/6/13
Miscellaneous, China Borneo Company, Ltd.	\$11½ s.	60,000	\$12	all	11½ May	9 April	11½	11½	\$1.20 for 1913
China Light & Power Co.	—	—	—	—	5 Nov.	2,600 Jan.	4½	4½	6% for year ending 30/2/06
Do. (Spec. shares)	\$41 s.	50,000	\$5	all	—	—	8½	8½	70 cts. for 1913.
China Prov't. L. & M. Co., Ltd.	81 s.	200,000	\$10	all	9½ Feb.	8½ May	8½	8½	\$1.30 for year endg 31/7/13
Dairy Farm Company, Ltd.	338 s.	40,000	\$7½	6	29 Oct.	21½ Jan.	38	38	40 cts. for 1911.
Green Island Cement Co., Ltd.	610 b.	400,000	\$7½	all	7½ Nov.	4½ Jan.	6½	6½	\$1.80 per share for 1913
Hongkong Electric Co., Ltd.	841 b.	90,000	\$25	all	49 Dec.	26 Jan.	41	41	Interim of \$2½ a/c 1914
Hongkong Ice Company, Ltd.	200 b.	5,000	\$25	all	200 Jan.	150 Oct.	200	195	\$2 for 1913
Hongkong Rope Mfg. Co., Ltd.	25 b.	60,000	\$10	all	25½ July	19 Jan.	25	24	Final div. of 6d. making 7½
Hongkong Tramway Co., Ltd.	12/6 s.	325,000	5½	all	9/6 Sept.	4/9 Jan.	12/6	10/6	1 per share for 1913
Langkats	t.44	250,000	g.10	all	75 Jan.	19 Sept.	48	43	Interim of T. 1 making T. 2 a/c 1913
Peak Tramway Co., Ltd. (Old)	89 b.	25,000	\$10	all	113½ April	9 Sept.	93	93	80 cts. on fully paid shares and 8 cts. on \$1 paid shares for year ending 30/4/14
Do. (New)	90 cts. s.	50,000	\$10	all	1.00 Jan.	90 cts. June	90 cts.	90 cts.	None
Philippines	65 s.	75,000	\$10	all	—	—	5	5	1.50 for 1910.
H. Price & Co., Ltd.	66 s.	—	—	10	—	—	6	6	No dividend this year.
Societe des Pulpes et Papiers du Tonkin	20 s.	13,200	\$50	all	—	—	20	20	50 cts. for year ending 31/5/12
Shanghai Sumatras	135 s.	18,000	t.20	all	5.00 May	3.50 Oct.	5	5	\$1.25 per share for year ending 31/12/13
Steam Laundry Co., Ltd.	65 s.	30,000	\$5	all	18½ May	13½ Feb.	18½	18	70 cts. for 1913
Union Water-boat Co., Ltd.	118 b.	50,000	\$10	all	8½ May	6½ Jan.	74	73	50 cts. for year ending 30/6/13
A. S. Watson and Co., Ltd.	87/40 b.	90,000	\$10	all	8½ May	6½ Jan.	84	83	None
William Powell, Limited	83½ s.	50,000	\$7	all	11 July	9 Jan.	29	29	London quotes 96/6 sellers.
S. C. Morning Post	82½ b.	6,000	\$25	all	—	—	—	—	Star Ferries are offering at \$144 with

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THE TELEGRAPH DOES NOT HOLD ITSELF RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY OF THE ABOVE QUOTATIONS.

## SHARE REPORT.

Meers' Wright and Hornby's weekly share report, dated July 11, states:—  
The local market continues firm and a fair amount of business has been done during the week.  
H'p'ny is quoted 25/11/16 per oz. ready and 25 3/4 per oz. for forward delivery, market steady.  
Exchange on London opened to-day at 1/10 3/8 T.T.

Para Bubier is quoted from London at 2/10 per lb. and the market for shares weak.

Banks.—Hongkong and Shanghai Banks have improved to \$840 buyers after sales at \$835 and \$840. London quotes \$841.

Marine Insurance.—Cantons continue firm with buyers at \$194 ex 73.

Unions have buyers at \$780. Yangtze are without business at \$194 ex 73.

Fire Insurances.—China Fires have advanced to \$155 buyers.

Shipping.—China Manilas have been placed at \$9 and more shares are wanted.

Canton and Macao Steamboats are steady at \$27. Indo-Chinas are steady at \$30. Shell Transports were placed in fair numbers.

at 99½ early in the week, but close easier with sellers at 98½.

buyers at \$43.

Hongkong Fires are wanted at \$800.

Douglas were sold at \$31.

Hongkong and Whampoa Docks are steady at \$62.

Docks are wanted at Tls. 60.

There are buyers of Hongkew Wharves at Tls. 91.

Docks, Wharves and Godowns:—Kowloon Wharves have been placed at \$83 and close with buyers. Hongkong and Whampoa Docks are steady at \$62. Shanghai Docks are wanted at Tls. 60. There are buyers of Hongkew Wharves at Tls. 91.

Lands, Hotels and Buildings:

—There are buyers of Hongkong Hotels at \$125. Hongkong Lands have been done at \$116 and more shares are wanted.

Humphreys Estate are wanted at \$7

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Hongkong, June 4th, 1914.

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gow £40.For freight or passage, apply  
to SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.  
Agents.

Hongkong, 18th June 1914.

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THE Steamship  
"Kamome" R.N.R. will be des-  
patched for the above ports,  
TUESDAY the 14th inst., at  
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(occupying 20 days.)The Steamers leave about every  
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Hongkong, 10th July, 1914.

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communicate with the Under-  
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## NOTICES.

HONGKONG GYMKHANA  
CLUB.THE THIRD GYMKHANA  
MEETING of the Season  
will be held at Happy Valley, on  
Saturday, the 18th July, 1914,  
commencing at 3.15 p.m.The Charge for Admission will  
be \$1.00 for others than Members  
of the Hongkong Jockey Club or  
Gymkhana Club.Soldiers and Sailors in uniform  
half price.The Committee invite the  
Ladies of Hongkong to be  
present.

Hongkong, 8th July, 1914.

## NOTICE.

THE HONGKONG CENTRAL  
ESTATE LTD.NOTICE is hereby given that  
the Statutory Meeting  
of Shareholders of this Company  
will be held at the Offices of the  
General Managers at NOON on  
MONDAY 27th inst., instead of as  
previously notified.By Order,  
A. SHELTON HOOVER,  
Secretary to The Hong-  
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## POST OFFICE

Two packets of correspondence (in  
Siberia) have been received damaged by  
fire. Such letters as can be identified  
will be forwarded to the addressee.The Amszone with the French Mail is  
due to arrive here on Monday the 13th  
inst. at daylight.The Koro, with the American Mail, is  
due to arrive here on Tuesday the 14th  
inst.

## MAILS DUE.

French, Amazon, 13th inst.

American, Koro, 14th inst.

MAILS VIA SIBERIA.

Left London June 13.

Due Shanghai June 29.

MAILS CLOSE TO-DAY.

Siberian Mail.

Shanghai & North China  
(Europe via Siberia) — Per  
CHENAN, 11th July, 5 p.m.[To make connection with the Tien-  
tien-Pukow Railway, closing at Shanghai  
Br. P. O. at 8.30 a.m. on Thursday the 16th  
July.]Swatow, Wo-hai-wei, Chefoo & Tientsin  
— Per HUICHOW, 11th inst., 5  
p.m.

TO-MORROW.

Swatow — Per HAIMUN 12th July, 9 a.m.

Swatow, Amoy, Formosa via Tamsui,  
Per DAIJIN MARU, 12th inst.,  
9 a.m.Shanghai & N. China — Per CHENAN,  
12th inst., 9 a.m.Swatow & Bangkok — Per SAMSEN,  
12th July, 9 a.m.

MONDAY, 13th July.

Swatow — Per KATHE, 13th inst., 8 a.m.

Siberian Mail.

Shanghai, North China and  
Japan via Kobo (Europe  
via Siberia) — Per AMAZONE,  
13th July, 5 p.m.[To make connection with the Tientan-  
Pukow Railway, closing at Shanghai Br.  
P. O. at 8.30 p.m. on Thursday, the 16th  
July.]

TUESDAY, 14th July.

Jesselton, Kudat & Sandakan — Per  
BORNEO, 14th June 8 a.m.Tientsin — Per CHEONGSHING, 14th  
inst., 9 a.m.Swatow, Amoy & Foochow — Per HAI-  
YANG, 14th inst., 10 a.m.Japan via Kobo — DILWARA, 14th inst.,  
11 a.m.American & Canadian  
Formosa via Keelung, Shanghai  
& North China, Japan  
& N. China. Mol. United States  
& N. China. — Per SHIN YO MARU,  
14th July, 1 a.m.[To make connection with the Tien-  
tien-Pukow Railway, closing at Shanghai  
Br. P. O. at 11.30 a.m. on Monday, the 20th  
July.]Straits, India via Calcutta — Per TAKA-  
DA, 14th inst., 2 p.m.Formosa via Keelung, Shanghai  
& N. China & Japan via Mol. Victoria  
B. & S. & Seattle, Wash.

Siberian Mail.

Philippines Is. — Per TAMING, 14th inst.,  
3 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, 15th July.

Straits & Colombia — Per KITANO M.,  
15th July, 9 a.m.

Swatow — Per HAIMUN 15th inst., 10 a.m.

Straits, India via Calcutta — Per  
KUTSANG, 15th July, 11 a.m.

THURSDAY, 16th July.

Shanghai & North China — Per LUOCHOW  
16th July, 3 p.m.

FRIDAY, 17th July.

Swatow, Amoy & Foochow — Per HAI-  
YANG, 17th July, 10 a.m.

SATURDAY, 18th July.

Straits, Burma, Ceylon, Ade-  
laide, Western Australia, India  
Asia, Egypt, and Europe via  
Marsella (Late Letters 11 a.m.  
to noon. Extra Postage 10  
cents). Letters posted in all  
the Pillar Boxes in time for the  
first clearance will be included  
in this contract mail.

CHILI, 14th inst., 11 a.m.

Shanghai, N. China & Japan via Kobe  
— Per LAISANG, 14th July, 11 a.m.Straits, India via Calcutta — Per TAKA-  
DA, 14th inst., 2 p.m.Formosa via Keelung, Shanghai  
& N. China & Japan via Mol. Victoria  
B. & S. & Seattle, Wash.

Siberian Mail.

Philippines Is. — Per TAMING, 14th inst.,  
3 p.m.

TUESDAY, 21st July.

Philippines Is. — Per TEAN, 21st July, 3  
p.m.

Siberian Mail.

Shanghai & N. China, Japan  
via Nagasaki, Vancouver, Cana-  
da, via San Francisco, U.S. Ameri-  
ca, via Siberia — Per E. OF  
INDIA, 21st Inst., 11 a.m.

## SHIPPING NEWS

## ARRIVED.

Canada Maru, Jap. ss. 3,759, H. Yama-  
moto, 11th Inst. Shanghai, 8th  
Inst. Gen. — O. S. K.Johanne, Ger. ss. 951, A. P. Uldeup, 10th  
Inst. — Swatow, 9th Inst. Gen. —  
J. & Co.Fausing, Br. ss. 1,400, H. S. Malkin, 10th  
Inst. — Saigon, 7th Inst. Gen. —  
M. & Co.Kaijo Maru, Jap. ss. 1,292, Y. Yamamoto,  
11th Inst. — Foochow, Gen. — O. S.  
K.Liangchow, Br. ss. 1,320, W. Benson, 11th  
Inst. — Shanghai, 7th Inst. Gen. —  
B. & S.Queen Adelaide, Br. ss. 3,196, Smith, 11th  
Inst. — Europe, Gen. — Order.Tsurugisan Maru, Jap. ss. 2,559, S. Hara-  
oka, 11th Inst. — Miike, 5th Inst.  
Coal — M. & Co.Petchaburi, Ger. ss. 1,373, C. Gosselach,  
10th Inst. — Bangkok, 28th ult.  
Rice — B. & S.Taming, Br. ss. 1,358, G. H. Pennefather,  
11th Inst. — Manila, 8th Inst. Gen. —  
B. & S.Wingang, Br. ss. 1,517, T. H. Leshman,  
10th Inst. — Swatow, 9th Inst. Gen. —  
J. M. & Co.

## DEPARTED.

July 11.  
Chicago Maru for Victoria and Tacoma  
via Keelung.Derflinger for Bremen via Singapore,  
Goldenfels for Hamburg via Singapore

Daiji Maru for Tamsui via Swatow

Cheung for Canton

Chingchow for Kwang Yen

Protectorate for Vancouver via Nagasaki

Anhui for Shanghai

Kwangtung for Shanghai

Kwangtung for Yokohama via Shanghai

Padron for London via Macao

Montgomeryshire for Victoria via S'hai

Talyuan for Melbourne via Manila

Scorien for Hamburg via Singapore

Kwongang for Shanghai via Swatow

Takohu

Talchu

Talman

Koshun

Pidores

Cantos

H'kong

Gap Rock

Macao

Wuchow

Pahol

Phullon